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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Terrible Flood in Massachusetts.

Worcester, March 29.—About 8 o'clock to-night the alarm was given through the valley that the dam of the Lyndebrook reservoir, which supplies the city with water, was giving way. The work of warning out dwelling houses and mills throughout the valley was at once begun, and the excitement was great. The water was pouring in torrents through the stone gate-house, and an entrance was forced to the gate-house, but the waste gate could not be opened, it being clogged with stones. It is worked by the iron rods with which it is worked. The reservoir covers 110 acres and holds [illegible] million gallons of water.

11 P. M.—The danger is increasing; the break is widening and the dam is not expected to hold together until sunrise. All hope of preventing a terrible disaster is now abandoned. The fire hydrants and water pipes in the city are being opened to draw off as much of the water as possible.

Midnight.—The dam is being anxiously watched, and word sent through the valley to expect a flood at any moment.

March 30, 2:30 A. M.—The break is enlarging, and the stream below is rising at the rate of [illegible]. The stream [illegible]. All the water has stopped running [illegible] through the city pipes, and it is thought the [illegible] given away bodily. If such is the case there will be no communication with the city except [illegible], but efforts to lessen or avoid danger [illegible] throughout the Kettlebrook and [illegible]. An immense crowd at [illegible] which is growing larger. The [illegible] keeping order in the crowd and protecting [illegible] goods on the hills removed from the houses.

[illegible], March 30.—Later advices from the reservoir are more assuring in character. Large [illegible] bodies of hay and loads of dirt are being [illegible], and the rush of water is less [illegible] to connect the reservoir with the [illegible] to the eastward are being dug with haste. [illegible] the reservoir is rapidly lowering and [illegible] the gap in the dam is widening. It is [illegible] the main structure will stand.

[illegible]—It is now decided that the only means of [illegible] is cutting through the east part of the dam [illegible] the water from the break. This will [illegible] the stream down Parsons' brook to Valley [illegible] and thence to New Worcester. Parties on [illegible] have been warned, yet there is great danger [illegible] loss of life and property. The city engineer [illegible] he can control the flow.

[illegible], March 30.—Thirty feet of the dam [illegible]. The wildest rumors prevail.

Worcester, March 30.—At 5:30 P. M. the reservoir [illegible] gave way with a great crash. The spilling [illegible] crumbled, letting off 760,000,000 gallons of water [illegible] behind it. The water rushed down [illegible] with a terrible roar, in a solid mass 20 [illegible]. First in the line of the sweeping flood [illegible] the stone waste gate house. When the flood [illegible] it tottered, then the keystone of the [illegible] dropped out; a corner of the building next [illegible], followed by the wooden roof, which [illegible] until drawn into the whirlpool, when [illegible] crushed to matchwood and thrown into the [illegible]. The gate house was tipped over bodily, not [illegible] remaining. Down through a narrow ravine, 100 feet wide and one mile long, the flood [illegible]. The sides of the ravine were fairly dug [illegible] clean in an instant, for 60 feet, until the edge of the embankment was almost perpendicular. Through the pine woods on one side of the ravine, [illegible] the largest trees were twisted [illegible] like straws, pulled up by their roots, and [illegible] onward down the decline. The flood tore everything in the ravine and rushed towards the highway below. A large barn was taken up bodily and carried about fifty feet, when it struck a tree and was broken into two pieces. The next was O. W. Olney's dwelling house, one of the finest in the village. The rushing [illegible] struck this broadside—completely cleared it [illegible]. The rear and front wall ends stood, and, strange to say, supported the roof, under which [illegible] poured in a solid stream twenty feet high and [illegible] wide. When the dam first broke, the gap [illegible] about twenty feet in width. This increased [illegible] after the water had once gained a passage through it, and continued to increase until nearly the entire portion, 50 feet wide, was destroyed. The ravine being narrow, held the water back, and it continued to run for three hours before the reservoir was empty, and the worst of the danger at Cherry Valley, the first village encountered, was over. A small bridge stood on the opposite side of the road from Olney's. This was taken up, whirled around on the surface for some time and then down into the water. Three or four small dwelling houses were taken up and borne along until they crashed together and sunk out of sight. The waters from the [illegible] now reached Kettle brook, and the vast quantity of water swept across a road, struck the hill beyond and was turned down towards Cherry Valley, Jamesville, Leesville [illegible] and New Worcester. James Smith & Co.'s woolen mill stood at the head of this pond, in front of which was a dam which had withstood [illegible], but crumbled under the [illegible] brought upon it and gave way. The [illegible] were added to the mass. The [illegible] brick structure was next struck and crushed until three-quarters of the building [illegible], and the water rushed through what [illegible]. A short distance below was the [illegible] mill, operated by A. L. Smith. This was a wooden structure about fifty feet square and [illegible] a dam which held the waters of the pond there. When the water struck this it gave [illegible] and the waters of the pond further increased [illegible]. The mill was next struck and [illegible] to the top of the rushing waters and [illegible] at a terrific rate, whirling and turning in all directions, until it struck Ashworth & [illegible] mill. This was the best mill on the stream [illegible] one of the best in the country. It was a [illegible] brick structure, four stories, with an ell for [illegible] house. Bottomby mill struck this ell with [illegible], knocking it to pieces. The Bottomby [illegible] completely demolished by the [illegible] as though blown up, and nothing more [illegible] which could be recognized as the mill [illegible] a moment before. The boiler house of [illegible] & Jones' mill was swept away in an instant, and one of the main structures was swept away. The boiler was taken up and carried along [illegible] a shingle in a mill stream. Soon an explosion was heard above the roar of the flood and a stream of water was thrown several feet above the surface of the current. Another explosion followed, and another, until five had occurred, and the boiler was blown to pieces. Mr. [illegible] also lost a large barn, which was crushed [illegible].

Worcester, March 30.—At Stoneville the dam gave way and the course of the flood was through [illegible] valley, and the roar of the rushing water was distinctly heard for a mile. The flood next [illegible] a small dam and the Boston and Albany R. R. above Jamesville depot. The spectators who were standing near the depot say the water was thirty feet high when it approached the [illegible]. With one tremendous crash the railroad embankment gave way, opening a gap four or five hundred feet long and 20 deep. Just before the water struck the railroad embankment at Jamesville, a section of the stream forced its way [illegible] of road and passing on both sides of the depot, rushed 10 feet high down the track and [illegible] lifted the rails and the bodily [illegible] the road bed and turned them topsy turvy for more than a mile. Just before reaching the stone arch bridge at Curtis pond it bored a hole down into the road bed, and made a gap about 80 feet long and 45 or 50 deep. The water then found its way into Curtis pond. The devastation at this point [illegible] as costly as any along the entire route. The [illegible] road track was taken up bodily and carried over the main road, trees, stumps and shanties were thrown down and washed away. The flood reached Tecaville about two hours after the dam broke and struck the satinet mill owned by Albert Curtis with terrific force. It gave way and crumbled into ruins and the dam was carried away. Three hours after the dam broke away the effect was felt at New Worcester. The course of the stream from the reservoir through the other villages was nine miles, showing that the water advanced at the rate of three miles an hour. The first mile however was made in three minutes. The situation was critical when the water had cut a hole through the dam. A few minutes past 9 the end of Curtis & Marble's large brick shops gave way, filling up the stream. Soon after the Arcade [illegible] tipped over and was left standing on one end. About a quarter of 10 the double arch bridge of the Boston and Albany railroad below Curtis & Marble's shop gave way and a section of the embankment, 70 feet long and 20 feet deep, with it, an outlet was thus made and the danger at New Worcester was averted. After the second breaking of the B. & A. R. R., the mill of Wicks manufacturing company at South Worcester was destroyed. The water then spread out into a series of meadows, and in the south part of the city there was a general inundation. The water is rapidly subsiding, and no further damage is feared. It is impossible to estimate the loss to-night.

Money and Stocks.

New York, March 30.—Gold closed at 113¼. Money, 2½@3; governments and stocks active, steady and unsettled. W. U. 67¼, Quicksilver 17, Pacific Mail 120½, Mariposa, S. W. F. S. [illegible], N. Y. Central 113⅞, Erie 19⅞, Panama [illegible], [illegible] Pacific, 62, do bonds, 115¼, Central bonds [illegible].

J. E. Barrows' Testimony Declared False.

St. Louis, March 30.—D. W. Barnard, in a published card, states that the testimony given by him before the investigation committee at Washington by J. E. Barrows is false in [illegible], especially in that it intimated that he, Barnard, used his influence with General [illegible] to secure a permit for Barrows for valuable [illegible]. Barnard gives his version of this [illegible] with Barrows in a post trader's store at [illegible], and asks the committee to give him an opportunity to place his testimony on record.

The Storm at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, March 30.—The tide in the Delaware river rose 8 feet higher than ever known before. The wharf of Cramps & Sons shipbuilders at Kensington, was overflowed and the reservoir flooded. No serious damage.

Concord Railroad Washout.

Concord, N. H., March 31.—The large washout on the Concord Railroad is being repaired. Yesterday the freight train waiting to cross was run into by the passing train and four persons seriously injured, [illegible]. The engines and baggage cars were wrecked, and [illegible] seven freight cars damaged.

Vermont Republican Convention.

[illegible], March [illegible].—The Republican State Convention to elect delegates to the National Convention assembled this morning. Russell S. Taft was chosen president, with a list of vice presidents. After the usual committees [illegible] the convention took a recess.

Direct Cable Broken Again.

Boston, March 30.—A Portsmouth dispatch says another break occurred in the direct cable this time between [illegible] and Rye Beach station. The break occurred during the gale of Monday, and has probably been made worse. [illegible] the cable was in complete working order up to the instant of stopping.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Washington, March 30.—Schenck again appeared before the committee on foreign affairs to-day. Swann said he was instructed by the committee to say to Schenck that all questions would be put to him through a member of the committee, and he would reply to the committee and not to the parties. When Schenck made an explanation in regard to his resignation as director of the Emma company, denying as Lyon testified he had concealed the fact from December until the 14th of January. He also explained the discrepancy between the letter of resignation to the company and that purporting to be a copy transmitted to Secretary Fish; he had prepared and retained a rough draft from which he had written with modifications the letter to the company.

A telegram from McDougall, chairman of the Emma mine, was received to-day, stating in confirmation of Lyon's evidence: "I have the original draft of Schenck's letter of resignation in Park's handwriting, and respecting his operations I have proof that Schenck received a cable telegram in Paris on the 16th of December from Park advising a sale on the intended passage of dividends, and that Schenck sent Cheesebrough a telegram to sell 2,000 shares for him (Schenck)."

Schenck said he was confident there was no such draft of the letter in Park's handwriting ever existed. He was advised by Park to sell at that time but sent no telegram to Cheesebrough for such purpose. The committee adjourned.

$50,000 Recommended for Locks at the Cascades.

The House commerce committee agreed to recommend an appropriation of $50,000 for a canal and locks at the Cascades of the Columbia river. This amount though less than asked by Congressman Lane's bill is enough to start the work and insures appropriations hereafter to complete it.

The committee provides for surveys of Coos Bay and the mouth of the Coquille river with a view to their subsequent improvement. The engineers make no definite estimate or recommendation concerning the proposed improvement of San Luis Obispo harbor and the committee therefore will not grant the appropriation asked by Wigginton's bill, but Piper, who is on the committee, has secured the insertion in the river and harbor bill of a provision for its examination and survey.

Captain Eldridge of San Francisco is appointed a member of the Board of Visitors to the Naval Academy.

Discussion of Dana.

The Senate in executive session to-day further discussed the nomination of Dana but adjourned without action.

Retirement of National Bank Circulation.

The Secretary of the Treasury to-day directed the retirement of $188,711, that being 80 per cent. of the new national bank circulation issued the present month.

New Bankrupt Bill.

The bill amendatory of the bankruptcy laws reported favorably from the Senate judiciary committee to-day, is a measure recently introduced by Thurman with some amendments. As reported it provides that no voluntary assignment by a debtor of all his property, heretofore or hereafter made in good faith for the benefit of all his creditors, ratably and without creating any preference, and valid according to the law of the State where made, shall of itself, in the event of his being subsequently adjudicated a bankrupt in a proceeding of involuntary bankruptcy, be a bar to the discharge of such debtor.

No Hope for Dana.

Washington, March 30.—A canvass of the Senate says Dana will be rejected by at least 12 majority. In this event, it is whispered in Senatorial circles, F. W. Stoughton of New York will be the next nominee.

President Grant Sick.

Washington, March 30.—The President has been sick for two days and has received no visitors to-day.

The President has not yet recovered from the severe cold which made it necessary for him to refrain from official business for the last two days. He saw no visitors to-day.

Bounty Law Frauds.

The commissioner of the land office has written to the committee that he is unable to prevent frauds which have arisen under the soldiers' bounty land grants and recommends special legislation thereon. Speculators have by fraud and otherwise procured the assignment and transfer to themselves of the lands allowed to Union soldiers by the action of Congress of March 8, 1872.

Lawrence is Willing to Peach.

New York, March 30.—A Washington special says Lawrence, the extradited revenue swindler, is willing to unbosom himself and that the testimony will implicate several prominent custom officials and establish clear cases against firms, one of which is in San Francisco.

California Frauds to be Investigated.

The House committee on public lands will soon begin an investigation into the California frauds.

Gauger Appointed.

Washington, March 29.—W. H. Doane was to-day appointed gauger for Nevada.

Railway Mail Service Extended.

Extensions of railway mail service have been ordered on the Nevada County Narrow gauge Railroad from Colfax to Nevada City.

Washington, March 30.—The Senate committee on Territories to-day authorized Christiancy to report.

Nominations by the President.

The President sent the following nominations to the Senate: Sumner Howard, United States Attorney for Utah.

Reports of Committees.

The Senate committee on commerce to-day agreed to report adversely on the bill which proposes to reorganize the light house establishment and make it a bureau of the treasury department. The committee also agreed that it was not expedient to change the present system with regard to the secretaries of the board as contemplated by another bill before them, and it will likewise be reported on adversely.

Democratic Caucus.

There was then an announcement made of a Democratic caucus to-morrow night after the evening session.

Fraudulent Mail Contracts.

The House committee on the postoffice to-day examined Francis Taylor of [illegible], partner of the late E. B. Sawyer in a number of mail contracts. He testified that Sawyer told him that $20,000 was given to [illegible] Routt at that time second assistant postmaster general. How Routt obtained it he did not say. Sawyer charged $10,000 in the expense accounts for money alleged to have been paid out by him in Washington between 1867 and 1871. Witness knew nothing of these alleged payments of his own knowledge.

WEST INDIES.

Dishonest Contractor Arrested.

Havana, March 30.—Captain Jovellar recently had arrested six of the principal contractors for furnishing provisions to the army. Two have already been released. It is asserted that for years the quartermaster and contractors have been defrauding the government. Two quartermasters are awaiting [illegible] and it is supposed they have gone to the United States.

NEVADA.

Stage Robbery.

[illegible], March 30.—The driver of the incoming Salt Lake stage, which arrived here last night, reports that when within about three miles of town an individual stepped out [illegible] presented a pistol and commanded him to halt and throw out the treasure box. The command was complied with, when the stage was allowed to proceed. One passenger was on board, but was not molested. It is not known what amount was contained in the box.

There was a slight fall of snow last night. The weather this morning is cold and blustery.

This is from the Deer Lodge New North West: They claim to have one of the English cavalrymen at Salt Lake who was among the six hundred who made the celebrated charge at Balaklava, of which the Salt Lake Tribune prates. We haven't only one of them but have the entire six hundred, who fought, bled and died many times, with wives to [illegible] of them, children to [illegible] of them and mothers-in-laws all around them.

Says a letter from the Black Hills: A week or ten days ago a prospector who had been missing since last December, was found dead several miles north of Custer in a prospect hole with his head downward. On the sole of one of his shoes was written, "Who will care for mother now."

EMMA MINE INVESTIGATION.

The [illegible] General Schenck [illegible] to explain [illegible].

Examination of General Schenck.

Washington, March 29.—General Schenck appeared before the committee on foreign affairs to-day. Referring to the writ served upon him just previous to leaving London he gave an account of his [illegible] stating to Lord Derby his [illegible] the impression that he had resigned, apologizing for the mistake, and asking him to consider the proceedings abandoned. In answer to a remark that it had been said he was still not taking leave of the Queen, Schenck explained he came home on leave of absence, but not knowing his situation he did not know whether he would return to London. The usual rule was not to formally take leave unless he was leaving permanently. He was unable to pay his personal respects, and that he had left the legation in charge of Hoffman. It was usual that the resignation of a minister took effect on the appointment of his successor, and a new successor had been appointed he supposed he was still minister. He came home on leave to Washington for the sole purpose of appearing before the committee and explaining the transaction between Schenck and Park in shares and notes. Schenck said Park insisted on owing him a balance of over $1,000 as interest to which he was entitled on the purchase and sale of stock. Schenck refused to receive all of such credit and insisted on paying or settling in some way, as best he could out of his means, the balance of the note. This was done by the payment of $17,000 in cash and by turning over to Park certificates of paid up stocks in the Vermillion Coal Company of Illinois, in the National Insurance Company of Washington, and in other companies to the amount of $4,000, and a promissory note of M. Woodhull for $8,000 more, with the right to redeem the stock in four years.

Hewitt interrogated Schenck closely as to the above settlement, calculating that Schenck, instead of being out of pocket, was in pocket $8,000 by the transaction.

Schenck said he wished he could view it in that light.

Hewitt had proceeded very carefully in his questions, on the theory that Schenck made a bona fide contract with Park, but the point remained why Schenck, having turned over his property to Park, should continue to receive dividends on it.

Schenck explained that the right to receive dividends, which were $2,100, on insurance and coal stocks was to continue for four years, within which time he had the right to redeem the stocks, paying both principal and interest.

Hewitt said the suggestion was still open that at the end of the four years the stocks might be returned to him by Park.

Schenck replied that Hewitt might as well say the same thing as to the mortgage of his house in Washington.

Hewitt remarked that he never knew mortgagee to collect rent unless he was in possession. Schenck understood that a man might draw interest on mortgaged stocks as well as on a mortgaged house.

In answer to the question, if while Park was bestowing favors it had occurred to him he was acting in order to secure his influence in the Union mine transactions, Schenck replied it never so occurred to him. He believed Park to be a liberal and generous man and having been instrumental in bringing him into the Emma mine speculation he was desirous of assisting him out. He had no doubt Park and others would have been glad to have him serve as manager or director so long as he (Schenck) did not offend against public propriety. He believed he had a right to buy and sell any kind of property whether as minister, member of Congress or as occupying any other capacity. It would not however be commendable to go into the stock market. Schenck said he had made a mistake in becoming director, and that this gave more concern than anything else. He might be obtuse, but he could not see he committed a moral wrong. Schenck in denying the statements of Lyon whom he had seen but once, submitted a letter to him from Harry Britt of London in which he wants to know if this is Jas. E. Lyon of Wisconsin who became a bankrupt in London in 1871. The committee adjourned until Monday.

PENNSYLVANIA REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Harrisburg, March 29.—The Republican State convention met in open house to-day. W. H. Koontz, of Somerset, was selected temporary chairman and made an address, when the committee on resolutions and permanent officers were announced and the convention took a recess.

On reassembling, Edward McPherson was chosen permanent president. J. D. Cameron, William H. Leeds, H. M. Hoyt and Robert W. Mackey were elected as delegates at large to the national convention.

The platform reaffirms the platform adopted by the Republican State convention at Lancaster in 1874, and in view of the recent events at Washington, emphatically endorses that part of it which demands honest men in office, men with brains enough to know dishonesty when they see it, and courage enough to fight it whenever they find it. It demands the exposure of crime and the punishment of the guilty. It looks to the Cincinnati convention to nominate candidates for President and Vice President above suspicion and in whose integrity the nation can most surely trust. It arraigns the Democratic leaders in Congress and their abettors for the preference shown to deadly principles, and for the subserviency shown to the defiant leaders of the late Confederacy, now dominating, for their removal from office of Union soldiers and appointment of Confederate soldiers; for repeated indications of their purpose only controlled by fear to open the national treasury to alarming and unjust pecuniary demands from insurrectionary States, for their persistent efforts to force amnesty upon men too proud or unrepentant to ask it or too guilty to deserve it, and for the combined recklessness and cowardice of their course on financial questions—a recklessness which, if unchecked, holds out a threat to overthrow existing laws, and a cowardice or incapacity to originate a substitute for them; that the recent events in the late slave States clearly express a purpose on the part of the Democratic party to seize them all and wield them as a unit in the next Presidential election, and to this end bloody and bloody conspiracies have been made to coerce voters, and base legislative conspiracies are at this moment in operation in order that an unprincipled and fraudulent majority may deprive properly chosen officers of their rights. Against these outrages we take an appeal to the people of the nation.

Resolved, That the common safety demands that our public schools shall not only be free to all, but shall be preserved from all special or partial control; all attempts to divert the school fund for any purpose whatever, or to divert any portion of it in to a channel not under popular control is to be frowned upon and resisted with unyielding firmness. It is the plain duty of Congress to submit such an amendment to the Constitution of the United States as when adopted will effectually defend the common school system from all enemies open or covert.

Resolved, That the attempt of the Democratic House of Representatives at Washington in the face of the depressed condition of American industries to inflict upon the nation a free trade tariff is an insult to the intelligence of the people and an evidence of the inability of the Democratic party to meet the present wants of the country. The remedy for our suffering is in a higher not a lower tariff.

Resolved, That in recognition of the eminent services both in the field and cabinet, the rare executive ability and unswerving rectitude of Governor John F. Hartranft, the Republican of Pennsylvania will just pride present his name to the consideration of the Republicans of the Union for nomination to the Presidency of the United States in the full confidence that the great qualities which have rendered his administration of the State affairs [illegible] by the confession of his political foes will insure, as well as unflinching and honest and as successful conduct of the vast and varied interests of the nation; that the delegates from Pennsylvania in the National Republican Convention are hereby instructed to present Governor Hartranft's name to the convention as the choice of Pennsylvania and to give him an earnest constant and united support and to cast the vote of the entire delegation as a unit as the majority of the delegation shall direct.

Upon reassembling the following delegates at large were elected: Luke P. Poland, Col. Wheelock, [illegible] Vassy, Geo. Howe and Geo. H. Bigelow. [illegible] declarations of devotion to the fundamental principles upon which the Republican party was founded; the pure and economical administration of every department of government; that it is essential that the public school system shall be maintained, in order that every child may receive such education as will fit him for useful citizenship, and we are unalterably opposed to any division of the public school money for any purpose whatever. We rally to the standard of the Republican party as the only one under which we can obtain an honest and effective maintenance of the government as well as a defense of the treasury against the unjust [illegible] of [illegible], who, out of [illegible], [illegible] that the [illegible] interest of [illegible] every condition and [illegible] the speediest return to a specie basis of values and currency, and we hail with gratification the advent of a Republican congress [illegible] to realizing [illegible] end. We are [illegible] to the repeal thereof or to any [illegible] on the matter. We favor the [illegible] prosecution and punishment of [illegible] fraud and corruption wherever it exists, and we [illegible] the [illegible] of [illegible] integrity who will carry out this policy and preserve inviolate the great results of the war.

The convention then adjourned.

The winter has been quite severe in the Lake country and the loss in stock has been pretty heavy. The following passage is from a letter dated the 1st of March: "The ice blockade is raised. We have had summer for three days. Snow is all gone where only [illegible] range. We are only feeding 200 head now. Have fed as high as 800 at a time. Three more days will take the snow out of this valley. Throughout the whole country more cattle have died than during the hard winter. All the Clear Lake sheep are dead except 600 out of 1,000."

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

Washington, March 30.—A bill on the committee on Indian affairs reported favorably on the Senate bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to deposit in the U. S. Treasury all funds now held by him or which he may hereafter receive as trustee of the various Indian tribes on account of the real estate [illegible] bonds or other stock and securities belonging to the Indian trust fund. The bill also provides that the United States shall pay [illegible] per cent per annum interest on all sums deposited; passed.

Sargent moved that the amendment be cut [illegible] during the debate on the bill; adopted.

Wallace of Pennsylvania spoke in opposition to reducing appropriations sent down by the House.

The Senate then proceeded to consider the amendment proposed by the committee on appropriations, all of which were agreed to. All the amendments were explained as restoring services to existing laws only, creating no new positions, and increasing no salaries, only restoring what had been stricken out. The bill was then passed; yeas [illegible], nays 17.

After the introduction of bills and petitions—one of the latter being the petition of Gen. Nelson A. Miles that $5,000 of the appropriation for the Sioux may be given to the two German girls captured and held several months by the Indians—the Senate resumed consideration of the consular and diplomatic bill.

On motion of Morton the resolution relative to the recent elections in Mississippi was taken up and made unfinished business, after which the Senate went into executive session and at [illegible] adjourned.

House.

Randall from the committee on rules introduced a resolution authorizing the speaker to appoint one additional member to each committee on territories, Indian affairs and public lands, from among the delegates from the Territories; adopted.

Randall, chairman of the committee on appropriations, reported a bill to provide for the expenses of the admission of foreign goods to the Centennial exhibition at Philadelphia; passed.

Banks, from the committee on rules, reported a resolution fixing the compensation of witnesses summoned to appear before a committee of the House at $2 per day and allowing five cents per mile mileage; adopted.

Thomas, from the committee of ways and means, reported a bill providing that all unsold stamps shall be redeemed when properly presented.

Burchard, from the committee of ways and means, reported a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to convert into coupon bonds the 5 per cent. registered bonds necessary to pay the judgments of the *Alabama* Claims Commission; passed.

The House then as the regular order of business considered the bill reported by Banning from the committee on military affairs regulating the pay and allowance of the officers of the army. The bill is to take effect on the 1st of July next. Banning proceeded to address the House in explanation and advocacy of the bill, which he said would effect an annual saving of over half a million dollars. The reductions he said were made in accordance with the advice of Gen. Sherman, who said to the committee, "Cut off at the head and not at the foot." The bill was cutting down the pay of general officers. Garfield had read an extract from the testimony made by Gen. Hancock before the committee adverse to the proposed reductions.

Without further debate the bill passed—yeas 111, nays 61.

Kasson moved to amend the title of the bill so that it would read "A bill to punish the army of the United States for gallant services rendered by it in preserving the Union."

Banning—I move to refer that motion to the gentleman from Iowa (Kasson) for gallant services rendered by him during the war.

Kasson—I will be glad to take it with me, and I am ready to report on it at once.

Banning—You are more ready to report now than you were to report for carrying a knapsack during the war. You could not be found then. [Laughter.]

The motion to amend the title was rejected—yeas 62, nays 161.

Banning from the committee on military affairs reported a bill to promote the efficiency of the army of the United States, to provide for its gradual reduction and to consolidate certain of its staff departments; referred to committee of the whole and made special order for next Wednesday.

The House then proceeded to the consideration of the bill appropriating $163,000 for the bureau of printing and engraving of the Treasury, and providing for the issue of silver coin in place of fractional currency.

The first amendment was that offered by Page, requiring the continued issue of silver coin to the amount of not less than a million dollars a month until the entire fractional currency be redeemed; rejected.

The next amendment was one offered by Burchard of Illinois, allowing the mint to coin silver bullion for private parties; rejected.

The next amendment was one offered by Williams of New York, providing that the secretary of the Treasury should not further increase the interest bearing debt by issue and sale of bonds for purchase of silver bullion for coinage; rejected, 72 to 91.

The next amendment was one offered by Hewitt, repealing sections one and two of the resumption act and directing the sale of the silver bullion now accumulated in the treasury, but allowing the issue of the silver coin now on hand.

Randall opposed the amendment and it was rejected.

Numerous amendments were offered, but all were rejected.

The House took a recess until 7:30. The evening session to be for the consideration of legislative bills.

The bill for the equalization of bounties was made the special order for next Wednesday.

The House then went into committee of the whole, Cox in the chair, on the legislative appropriation bill, the question being on the several amendments to the item of salary of Senators. The first vote was on the amendment of Douglas of Virginia reducing the salaries of Senators to $4,500; rejected.

The next vote was on the amendment of O'Brien to increase the salary to $5,000; rejected; yeas [illegible], nays 106.

The item was then passed as reported in the bill at $4,500.

Various propositions were made in regard to mileage, Foster of Ohio moving to abolish it altogether.

In the course of discussion on the mileage question, in which many members participated, Page called attention to the provision on the statute book which has allowed to become a dead letter requiring members to refund to the Sergeant at Arms their pay for every day of their absence from the regular sessions of the House, and Chittenden cited the case of a New York member, Richard Schell, elected to fill a vacancy, who for less than three months services, had received nearly $11,000. He moved an amendment providing that the pay of any member so elected to fill a vacancy shall only begin from the date of his election; agreed to.

All amendments to the mileage item were rejected, including Foster's, on which the vote was 71 to 110. The next paragraph was one appropriating $100,000 for various officers, clerks, etc., of the Senate.

An amendment, offered by Robbins, to give a permanent position as messenger in the Senate to a Union soldier who had lost both legs at Gettysburg, was made the subject of debate in which there was more effort at comedy than anything serious.

Without disposing of the paragraph the committee rose and the House adjourned.

Senate.

Washington, March 30.—Mr. Sargent presented the petition of the Regents of the University of California, James Lick and other trustees of the James Lick fund, asking that a site of land on the mountain in Santa Barbara county may be granted to the University of California as a site for erecting an observatory as contemplated in the donation of James Lick. Referred to the committee on public lands.

The committee on Territories to-day authorized Christiancy to report for passage his bill to regulate the elective franchise and trials by jury, with certain amendments which do not materially affect the main provisions as heretofore published.

Kelly of Oregon presented the petition of the Board of Trade of Oregon asking an appropriation to improve the Columbia and Willamette rivers; referred to the committee on commerce.

Sargent introduced a bill granting a site in Santa Barbara county, Cal., to the trustees of the James Lick fund; referred to committee on public lands.

Morton introduced the memorial of a convention of delegates representing the Society of Friends, remonstrating against the transfer of the Indian Bureau from the Interior Department to the War Department; referred.

Sherman called up the bill to amend the laws relating to legal tender of silver coin and moved to strike out all after the enacting clause and to amend by inserting, "the silver coin of the United States except the trade dollar shall be legal tender at their nominal value for any amount not exceeding $20 in any one payment." Sherman said the only change in this bill is to make the silver coin of the country, except trade dollars, a legal tender. Laid over.

After the morning business the Senate took up Morton's Mississippi resolutions and Bayard spoke in opposition.

Bayard contended there should be a joint committee, to which the House had the right to name members. He asserted it the Republican [illegible] was a party matter and if the committee of [illegible] was called for Morton's resolution because the Senate was Republican. He denounced the lavish expenses of the department of justice in sending detectives to the South where they caused all these troubles.

Boutwell replied to Bayard and asserted that all the expenses incurred were made necessary by acts of violence on the part of the party to which Bayard belonged.

Bayard reaffirmed rightly the policy of non-interference.

A bitter contest of words ensued between Bayard and Boutwell.

Morton finally got the floor to answer Bayard and said the other House had about thirty committees ostensibly investigating to ascertain whether further legislation is necessary, but really to make political capital. He read from the appropriation bills to show that never had a greater sum than three millions been expended in one year by the department of justice. The senator had said that he looked forward to a time when fines which had been imposed upon these Kuklux for their delinquencies would be paid back to them by Congress. That is the doctrine then. These fines will be refunded when the Democrats get control of this government. These scoundrels who committed these Kuklux acts will be paid back the fines that were justly imposed upon them for their crimes. Morton further discussed the subject alluding to the decision of the supreme court on Monday last, and said that if the decision of that court sustained the construction which the Senator from Delaware had put upon it, then he would repudiate it.

Withers of Virginia opposed the resolutions and in a lengthy argument showed that the people of the Southern States had accepted the situation and were disposed to abide by the issues of the war. He closed by declaring that the depression in business throughout the country would never be cured by the assertion continually made that one half of the country was trying to impair its progress.

Maxey made a conciliatory speech claiming that the old issues were passed, and that the sentiments of the Senator from Massachusetts, Boutwell, were not general in any section of the country.

The Senate adjourned with Bruce entitled to the floor.

House.

Burleigh from the committee on naval affairs reported a bill directing the naval estimates to be made in detail under the various heads of expenditures. After discussion the bill passed.

Faulkner from the committee on foreign affairs reported a resolution directing the committee on foreign affairs to inquire if there was any conflict of construction between Great Britain and the United States with regard to the extradition treaty of 1842 and what legislation, if any, is proper to remove any difficulty in the execution of said treaty; adopted. Also a bill to carry into execution the provisions of the 14th amendment to the constitution concerning citizenship and to define certain rights of United States citizens in foreign countries. The bill was made the special order for Saturday the 15th of April.

Knott, chairman of the judiciary committee, presented articles to be adopted and presented to the Senate in the maintenance and support of the impeachment for high crimes and misdemeanors in office of Wm. Belknap, late Secretary of War, which was recommitted and ordered to be printed, with the understanding that they would be called up Saturday next.

The House then resumed the consideration of the bill appropriating $163,000 for the deficiency in the printing and engraving bureau of the Treasury Department and for the issue of silver coin in place of fractional currency.

The first vote was on the amendment offered by Reagan, providing that silver coins of the denomination of one dollar shall be a legal tender at their nominal value for any amount not exceeding $50 in any one payment, and that silver coin of less than one dollar shall be a legal tender at their nominal value for any amount not exceeding $20 in any one payment.

Oliver offered a substitute for Reagan's amendment, providing that the trade dollar shall be a legal tender only to the amount of one dollar in any one payment, and that the fractional silver coinage shall be a legal tender only for any amount less than one dollar.

The substitute was rejected. Reagan's amendment was rejected.

The next was on the amendment of Wells, adding to Holman's amendment a proviso that, if silver bullion is not presented for coinage in sufficient quantities to meet the demands of the Treasury, the Secretary may purchase silver bullion for the purpose of coinage. On a vote by tellers there was a tie, 88 on each side, whereupon Cox, Speaker *pro tem*, voted aye. The ayes and nays were then demanded and ordered and the amendment was agreed to, yeas 117, nays 107.

The next amendment was that offered by Holman prohibiting the secretary of Treasury from making any further increase of the interest bearing debt of the United States by the issue and sale of bonds for the purchase of silver bullion for coinage, but silver bullion shall be received by the several mints for coinage for private parties for the payment of a *seigniorage*, provided that silver coin and bullion shall not exceed the amount of fractional currency now authorized.

Burchard moved to strike out the first part of Holman's amendment prohibiting an increase of the debt; rejected.

The question was then taken on Holman's amendment as amended on motion of Wells, and it was rejected.

Reagan again offered his amendment making silver coin a legal tender to the amount of $50; adopted—yeas 112, nays 95.

Without disposing of the bill the House, at 4:30, took a recess till 7:30, the evening session to be for the consideration of the legislative appropriation bills.

The House resumed its session at 7:30.

Campbell, of Illinois, introduced a bill for a commission of three persons, one of whom at least shall be practically identified with the laboring interests of the country, who shall hold office for one year and who shall investigate the subject of wages, and the hours of labor and the division of the joint profits of labor and capital between the laborer and capitalist and the social educational and sanitary condition of the laboring classes of the United States, how the same is affected by existing laws regarding commerce, finance, and currency; referred.

The House then went into committee of the whole, Cox in the chair, on the legislative appropriation bill. After three hours spent in discussing the paragraph for the pay of clerks and employes of the House, without coming to any decision, the committee arose and the House adjourned.

IMPEACHMENT OF BELKNAP.

Washington, March 30.—The impeachment articles are five in number, and are worded in the usual legal phraseology, each one being largely a repetition of the other. The first article is as follows: That Wm. W. Belknap, while he was in office as Secretary of War, to wit: on the 8th of October 1870, had power and authority under the laws of the United States, as Secretary of War, to appoint a person to maintain a trading establishment at Fort Sill, a military post of the United States; that said Belknap promised to appoint one Caleb P. Marsh to maintain such trading establishment at said military post, and thereafter said Caleb P. Marsh and one John S. Evans did enter into an agreement in writing substantially as follows [here the articles of agreement are set out in extenso]. That thereafter on the 10th of October 1870 the said Belknap, as Secretary of War, did at the instance and request of said Marsh appoint said J. S. Evans to maintain said trading establishment at Fort Sill, and, in consideration of such appointment, said Belknap did, on or about the 2d day of November 1870, unlawfully and corruptly receive from said Marsh the sum of $1,500, and did at divers times thereafter—that is to say, on or about the 7th day of January, 1871, and about the end of each three months during the term of one whole year, while he was still in office as Secretary of War—unlawfully receive from said Marsh like sums of $1,500 in consideration of the appointment of said Evans, and in consideration of his (Belknap's) permitting said Evans to continue to maintain said trading establishment at Fort Sill, whereby said Belknap, who was Secretary of War as aforesaid, was guilty of high crimes and misdemeanors in office.

The second article recites that William W. Belknap, while Secretary of War, did on the 4th of November 1873 willfully, corruptly and unlawfully take and receive from said Marsh the sum of $1,500 in consideration that he would continue to permit John S. Evans to maintain a trading establishment at Fort Sill that he did improperly permit Evans to continue to maintain a trading establishment at said military post, and said Belknap was thereby guilty, while he was Secretary of War, of high crimes and misdemeanors in office.

The third article recites that William W. Belknap, as Secretary of War of the United States, did appoint John S. Evans to maintain a trading establishment at Fort Sill and that said Evans by virtue of said appointment had since and until the second day of March 1876 maintained that trading post, and had before he was so appointed, and in order to procure such appointment and be continued therein, agreed with Marsh that in consideration of Belknap's appointing him Evans, to maintain such trading post at the instance and request of said Marsh, he, Evans, would pay to him, Marsh, a large sum of money quarterly in advance from the date of his appointment by Belknap, to wit, the sum of $12,000 during the year, and other large sums quarterly during each year, in order that Evans should be permitted by Belknap to maintain such trading establishment at such post, that Evans did pay to Marsh such sums of money quarterly during each year until the month of December 1875, that Marsh upon the receipt of each of such payments paid one half thereof to Belknap, and Belknap while knowing these facts and having power to remove Evans from such position at any time, criminally disregarding his duty as Secretary of War, and basely prostituting his high office to his lust for private gain, did unlawfully and corruptly continue Evans in said position and permit him to maintain his establishment to the great injury and damage of the officers and soldiers of the United States stationed at such post, as well as to the emigrants and freighters and other citizens of the United States, against the public policy, and to the great disgrace and detriment of the public service, whereby W. W. Belknap was, as Secretary of War, guilty of high crimes and misdemeanors in office.

Article fourth charges Belknap with having received from Marsh large sums of money for and in consideration of Belknap's having appointed Evans to maintain a trading establishment at Fort Sill, and for continuing him therein, whereby Belknap has been guilty of high crimes and misdemeanors in office. This article is accompanied by seventeen specifications, setting out the various times and circumstances of the payment of money.

Article five, after reciting the same general facts, charges that Belknap was induced to make the appointment of Evans by the influence and request of Marsh; that Evans paid Marsh a considerable sum for such influence and request; divers large sums of money at various times amounting to about $1,000 a year from the date of such appointment to the 25th of March 1872, and amounting to about $6,000 a year thereafter until the 25th of March, 1876, all of which facts Belknap well knew, yet in consideration he would permit said Evans to continue to maintain the said trading establishment, but such payments might continue to be made to Marsh by Evans, did corruptly receive from Marsh, either to his Belknap's use or to be paid to his wife, divers large sums of money at various times, setting out dates and amounts—all of which acts and doings were while said Belknap was Secretary of War of the United States, and were high crimes and misdemeanors in office.

The close of the document is as follows: And the House of Representatives, by protestation, saving to themselves the liberty of exhibiting at any time thereafter any further articles of accusation and impeachment against Wm. W. Belknap, late Secretary of War of the United States, and also of replying to the answers which he shall make unto the articles herein preferred against him, and of offering proof to the same and every part thereof, and to all and every other article, accusation or impeachment which shall be exhibited by them as the case shall require, do demand that the said W. W. Belknap may be put to answer for the high crimes and misdemeanors in office herein charged against him and that such proceedings, examinations, trials and judgments may be thereupon had and given as may be agreeable to law and justice. The committee also reports the following resolution:

Resolved, That seven managers be appointed by ballot to conduct the impeachment exhibited against Wm. W. Belknap, late Secretary of War of the United States.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

The Refugees' Prayer.

London, March 30.—A Vienna dispatch says the committee of Bosnian refugees has sent telegraphic dispatches to the three emperors, entreating them in the name of God not to send the refugees back under the Turkish yoke.

Truce Broken.

A special from Alexandria says the truce granted the King of Abyssinia has been broken. The Abyssinians have again suffered severe losses. The King, with all his forces, has retired to Lohlahi, near Godofelassi, and again sued for peace. Ras Barin, his principal advisor, was killed in the recent engagement.

Turkey and the Provinces.

A *Times* Berlin special says the Russian press is gradually withdrawing from the conservative position assumed at the beginning of the rebellion in Herzegovina, neither the necessity of keeping Turkey intact nor the inexpediency of Russia acting conjointly with Austria is longer insisted upon. The official *Invalide Russe* on the contrary attributes the dangerous position of the insurgents to Austrian partiality for Turkey, forgetting entirely that Austria's proceedings have been so long supported by Russia.

The Moscow *Gazette*, which is always well informed in foreign matters, has suddenly changed its tone. It proposes that Turkish troops be withdrawn from Herzegovina, and the province either ceded to or placed under the administration of the Prince of Montenegro, who in return might be induced to recognize the Sultan as his suzerain. This suggestion is put forward because the *Gazette* thinks that all hope of carrying out the reforms of the programme must be abandoned while there are Turkish troops in Herzegovina and while the Porte is penniless and impotent to do anything effectual. Without mentioning Austria's well known opposition to any such plans, the *Gazette* concludes by inviting England to co-operate with Russia for this purpose.

Peremptory Message to the Porte.

London, March 30.—The *Times*' Berlin correspondent telegraphs that Count Andrassy has sent a summons to the Porte insisting on preparations being at once made for return of fugitives from Herzegovina. The Russian telegraphic agency reports the Herzegovinian insurgents acting on the advice of the Prince of Montenegro, have consented to a twelve days' truce. The Porte has promised Austria to keep its troops stationary during the truce. Negotiations have been commenced.

Rumor Devoid of Foundation.

Vienna, March 29.—The story of the resignation of M. Novikoff, Russian minister at this court, in consequence of a misunderstanding with Count Andrassy, is declared to be devoid of foundation.

English-French Tunnel.

London, March 29.—It is understood that the capital required for testing the practicability of the Channel tunnel is being rapidly subscribed. A French company already has 2,000,000 francs, half of the required amount. The English company, if not already equally advanced, doubtless soon will be, and experiments will be in active progress before long.

The English Educational Representative at Philadelphia.

London, March 30.—At a meeting of the London school board Sir Charles Reed, chairman, announced he would sail May 6th, for Philadelphia, as English representative in the educational section of the Centennial Exhibition.

Adventures of the Survivors of the Strathmore.

London, March 29.—The *Times* this morning has an editorial on the subject of the adventures of the survivors of the emigrant ship *Strathmore*, which concludes: "The vessel which at length arrived to rescue her was a United States whaler, on her course to the South Sea fisheries. Her captain, we are told, gave up the chance of the season's profits for the sake of the poor creatures he found at Crozets, and who needed an amount of care they could not have received if he had taken them with him. We are sure the English nation will judge as it deserves of the sacrifice to which Captain Gifford submitted and will not fail to do honor, and something more than bare honor, to the deed and to the man."

French Ambassador to Germany.

A Berlin special says St. Vallier is to take the place of Gontaut Biron, as French ambassador to Germany.

Count Von Arnim.

Count Von Arnim has been summoned to appear before the imperial court of discipline at Potsdam on the 28th of April. It is said he will remain abroad, hoping to be pardoned soon.

Peace Negotiations Broken Off.

Berlin, March 30.—A special from Ragusa reports that Baron Rodich, Austrian peace commissioner, has broken off negotiations with Turkish officials.

Meeting of the Irish Rifle Team.

London, March 30.—At a meeting of the Irish Rifle Association yesterday rules were adopted regulating the preliminary contests for the selection of the team to go to Philadelphia. A letter from Sir Henry Halford was read urging that an united team be sent to America, but this proposal was rejected as the Irish riflemen have already forwarded an acceptance of the American challenge.

International Union against Chinese Pirates.

The *Post*'s Berlin dispatch says France may join England, Russia, Germany, and China in common action against Chinese pirates.

New Commercial Treaty between England and France.

Paris, March 29.—It is stated that the representatives of England and France will shortly meet to negotiate a new commercial treaty.

Health Officer Dead.

London, March 29.—Dr. Henry Letheby, well known as a medical officer of health for the city of London, is dead.

Business Failure.

London, March 29.—Strechkres Buschoff & Co., merchants, have failed. Liabilities estimated at £100,000.

Northamptonshire Stakes Won by Prodigal.

The race for the great Northamptonshire stakes was won by Prodigal, with Lauzini second and Lancashire third.

A Tropical Debate.

Versailles, March 30.—The chamber of deputies to-day indulged in a heated debate concerning the validity of the election of M. Poujade, Republican. M. Boyer, Legitimatist, urged that his election be annulled. The members of the Left interrupted and protested. M. Boyer thereupon left the House. Subsequently, when the vote was about to take place, the Bonapartists and Legitimatists, upon a sign from the Duke de la Rochefoucauld Bisaccia, a Legitimatist member, quitted the House in a body. M. Grevy, president of the chamber, protested and stated that systematic abstention was punishable. M. Poujade's election was then confirmed.

French Amnesty.

Messrs. Ricard and Dufaure to-day gave evidence before the Senate committee on the amnesty proposals. They pointed to documents showing that a majority of the convicts persist in considering themselves martyrs and felt no regret for their crimes. The return of such men to society would constitute peril. The sentiments evinced in pamphlets, journals and speeches by refugees abroad also showed that they, if permitted to return to France, would bring back sentiments of hatred even more vehement than were displayed during the commune and the intention of accomplishing the so-called necessary reparation. Therefore it was absolutely impossible to think of either partial or general amnesty in favor of such persons. The government, however, wished largely to exercise clemency toward those who desire to live peaceably and would take measures to bring about an extension of the exercise of MacMahon's rights to pardon, immediately upon the rejection of the amnesty motions.

Renewal of Membership in French Senate.

The *Times*' Paris dispatch says the Senate yesterday arranged a method for a partial renewal of its membership every three years as prescribed by the constitutional laws. The departments of France were divided according to alphabetical order into three categories, each represented by 75 Senators. The first category comprises the departments from Ain to [illegible], including the colonies of Algeria, Guadaloupe and [illegible]. The second comprised the departments from [illegible] to Oise, including the colonies of Constine and Martinique. The third took in the departments from Orne to Yonne, including the colonies of Reunion and [illegible]. Lots were then drawn to decide the order in which the Senators of the three categories must seek selection. The result was that the Senators in the first category are to retire after nine years, those in the second after three years, and those in the third after six years. The second category of Senators are thus obliged to retire at the expiration of three years, including at present 57 members of the Right and 18 of the Left.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

Business Failure.

San Francisco, March 30.—Child & Maguire, stock brokers, failed to-day. Their bankers called on them yesterday afternoon to make their account good, but they were unable to do so, and to-day made an assignment for the benefit of creditors. The firm attributes its suspension to the failure of its customers to fulfill their contracts. They consider their assets, if available, double their liabilities, and hope to make arrangements to resume business in a few days.

The One Mile and One-half Race.

At the mile and half dash advertised for to-day at Bay District track, to be made between Chance, Katie Pease and Golden Gate, for a thousand dollars, the attendance was mostly of sporting men. The weather was very disagreeable, with almost a gale blowing from the northwest. The track was in excellent condition. Chance was favorite. The pools at two to one on Katie Pease, Golden Gate withdrawn, were selling very lively and a large amount of money changed hands on the result. The horses got a good send off at the first attempt, but before reaching first turn Chance took the lead and maintained it throughout, winning by five lengths in 2:44½. Pease was evidently not in a condition to make a run.

Four running races are announced to take place over the Bay District course Saturday, May 6th. The first to be a mile and a half dash for three year olds, second, a mile and quarter dash, handicap, free for all ages; third, sweepstakes, heats one mile for all ages; fourth, also sweepstake dash of two miles for all ages. Entries will close on Saturday next.

Anti-Coolie Meeting.

A public anti-Coolie immigration meeting has been called for this evening at city hall, Oakland. The originators of this prompt response to the public invitation sent from this city have invited the mayor to be present as presiding officer.

A cable dispatch was yesterday sent from this city to Hongkong, signed by six Chinese companies here, directing their agent there to caution the Chinese not to come to this country, and to advertise the fact that the lives of the Chinese immigrants were in danger, and that laws were to be passed here forbidding them to land.

Effect of Roach's Bill.

It is a significant fact that since the passage of Roach's bill to punish wife beating with the lash, and its approval by the governor, not a single case of wife beating has been brought before the police court. Heretofore the average has been about four or five a week.

Unknown Body Washed Ashore.

San Francisco, March 30.—The body of an unknown man floated ashore last night between Fort Point and the Cliff, too much mutilated to be recognizable.

Suit to Recover $10,000 for Services Rendered.

Robert Appel has brought suit in the third district court against R. F. Morrow to recover $10,000 for services rendered by the plaintiff in going to Germany in 1874 and obtaining from the heirs of Henry Schneider, deceased, the title to the Segregated Belcher Mine.

The Sailing of the Australian Steamer Delayed.

The agent of the Pacific Mail Company announces that the steamer *City of San Francisco*, which should have left yesterday for Sydney, will not sail until to-morrow at 6 P. M. Rumor is making some effort to connect the delay in sailing with the recent report of the proceedings in bankruptcy alleged to be pending against the company in New York; but the management here attribute the delay to an accident to the machinery.

Change of Officers in the Pacific Mail S. S. Company.

Several changes have been made among the subordinate officers of the Pacific Mail Company and others of more importance are believed to be pending. The rumor which has been current for a day or two, that Mr. Bradbury, president of the Occidental and Oriental Steamship Company, is to succeed Mr. Bacon as general agent of the Pacific Mail Company in this city is denied. All kinds of reports are in circulation concerning the new developments to be expected in the management of the company shortly, including a rumor that it is to be placed in the hands of a receiver.

San Francisco Stock Market.

San Francisco, March 30.—Ophir 74½, Mexican 41½, G. & C. 22½, California 89½, Savage 21, Con. Va. 85½, Chollar 145, B. & B. 62, Point 25, Jacket 30, Empire Mill 11, Imperial 18½, H. & N. 73, Kentuck 19, C. H. Quartz 6, Alpha 60, Belcher 34½, Confidence 26½, S. Nevada 25½, Exchequer 21½, Bullion 57, Daney 1½, Overman 81½, Justice 28½, Union 19½, L. Bryan 2½, Julia 16½, Caledonia 12½.

Evening Board — Valley 2½, R. & E. 19½, Defiance 2, G. Chariot 2½, S. Chariot 25c, Poorman 75c, Baltimore 6½, Knickerbocker 4, Utah 27½, S. Hill 10½, Challenge 6½, Dayton 7½, Rock Island 5, New York Con 1½, Dardanelles 3½, Occidental 6½, P. Sheridan 1½, Woodville 2½, N. Carson 60c, Cosmopolitan 50c, Florida 3, W. Fargo 55c, Seg. Caledonia 1½, Lady Washington 4½, En. Con. 11½, Jackson 3, Alps 3½, Belmont 1½, Leopard 3½, Jefferson 3½, Gila 2½, Panther 1½, N. Belle 4½, Hussey 62c, Tybo 11, General Thomas 4½, Manhattan 9, Advance 10½, Coso Con. 35c, Prospect 6½, Maryland 50c, West Belcher 2, Trojan 1½, Amazon 1½, N. Con. Va. 1½, Silver City 1½.

Legal tenders 88½ buying, 89 selling.

Livery Stable Burned.

Lincoln, March 30.—The Logan livery stable and its contents, including eleven horses, burned this morning between 2 and 3 o'clock. During the fire a widow woman named Sawyer living near the place became so excited that while dressing she fell dead in her house.

Fatal Accident.

Oakland, Cal., March 30.—This afternoon while an express wagon with a trailing wagon attached, driven by A. R. Peakinpah, was coming from the wharf heavily laden with goods it ran over and killed Johnny Green, a boy aged 5 years and 4 months, who was riding on the tongue of the trailing wagon. The deceased was the son of a laboring man in poor circumstances. Coroner's inquest will be held to-morrow.

A Vessel Blown Ashore.

San Buena Ventura, Cal., March 30.—The brig *Oronea* parted her moorings from the end of the wharf and went ashore at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The sea is breaking over her and she will probably be a total loss. None of the crew are ashore yet. A heavy wind and high sea have been prevailing all day.

Gale in Southern California.

San Diego, March 30.—Last evening a gale commenced which continued with almost unprecedented violence up to sundown, when it ceased.

War among the Chinese.

A small war has been going on among the Chinese for some time, which culminated in Ah Chung getting shot in the shoulder. His assailant made his escape.

Found Drowned.

Santa Barbara, March 30.—This morning the body of a man apparently about 40 years old was found lying on the beach, washed up by the tide. On the left side of the head was a long deep gash, as if inflicted with some heavy instrument. There seems to have been foul play. A bill from Dencken Bros., [illegible] Washington street, to John Sandford, San Luis Obispo, was found in the vest pocket. He was registered at the St. Charles Hotel as Jane [illegible] on Sunday evening, since which time he has not been seen.

Violent Wind Storm.

Yesterday evening a violent wind storm prevailed here. It commenced to blow about 2 P. M. from the northwest, and continued throughout the night. No damage to shipping.

Fire.

Los Angeles, March 30.—The broom factory of Clarke & Co. was burned this morning with its contents. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

The Daily Oregonian.

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RESUMPTION, WHAT IT MEANS, AND WHO IS TO BE BENEFITED.

[illegible] generally admitted [illegible] pers[illegible] pay any attention to the subject and are not influenced by considerations of local or partisan advantage, that [illegible] specie payments [illegible] rather to a specie basis of business transactions is [illegible] prosperity [illegible] of the currency [illegible] of a dollar [illegible] simples [illegible] And [illegible] It has now come to be un[illegible] that gold does not rise and fall in the market [illegible] It is a convenient way of putting it to say that gold has advanced so many cents [illegible] so many cents premium, etc, because the business of the country is transacted almost wholly with the greenback or the national bank note for a medium of circulation. But it is not gold that goes up or down. It is the greenback and its twin the national bank note. The purchasing value of gold, in large transactions [illegible] nearly so as any measure of value can be, because the purchasing value of any currency in this age of international commerce depends much upon its receivability in trade with foreign countries. When it is said gold has advanced three cents on the dollar, it is meant that the greenback has lost about three cents of its general purchasing power and *vice versa*. When gold jumps up to 1.50 or more on Wall street, the importer in the same city is allowed no more for his gold in payment for his cargo of merchandise just ordered than when gold quietly pursued its way and indulged in no such saltatory exhibitions. And the reason is that in fact gold is the constant quantity and greenbacks the variable.

But when resumption is talked of, it is not understood by any intelligent person, that in all business transactions when involving the payment of money gold coin will actually pass from hand to hand. That never was the case and never will be. In small transactions where nothing but a little change is used it will be actual coin as it was before the war and as it is now on the Pacific coast, but in heavy mercantile and banking transactions the bulk of the business will be done by means of checks and drafts. It has always been done in this way. So resumption simply means the substitution of coin for paper as the medium of small change transactions, and the currency in which checks and drafts are to be met when not met in other checks and drafts that when actual money is called for it shall be money with an intrinsic value, money that is recognized the world over. The use of checks and drafts will not be diminished. On the contrary it is likely to be considerably increased on account of the inconvenience and expense of transporting bullion—gold coin from place to place. The business done in drafts, though ostensibly it is done on the basis of money to be paid, is in fact to a large extent mere exchange of commodities. A draft on an American house for woolen goods imported from England is balanced with a draft on an English house for wheat sent to Liverpool. Both the drafts are canceled—for all purposes of business, paid—but no money has crossed the ocean either way. And so is the commerce of the world carried on. Money is used only to make change, when the reciprocal drafts do not balance each other.

Resumption, then, involves no great change of circulation. If all the greenbacks were replaced with gold, there would be an actual increase of the circulating medium that is of the aggregate purchasing power of the circulating medium just to the amount of the present premium on gold and no more. The advantage, or disadvantage, which would result to business by reason of the amount of expansion or contraction of the currency is an incident to resumption would be but a trifle. The real advantage would be in the fact of permanency and constancy of the measure of values. This is what is needed. A few people make large profits from this quality of instability in the currency but all they make the rest of the people lose. The loss falls on the poor, on the small dealer, on the consumer, on the borrower of small sums. It is the people at large, not the bloated bullionists who suffer from the present unsteady circulating medium and who are to be benefited by resumption. The people should therefore keep watch on the politicians and be advised who are their friends in this important matter. They should make a note of the [illegible] of the Democrats in Congress to repeal the resumption act of last year. They should allow no sophistry to hide the true nature of the issue and its real bearing on their prosperity and happiness, and hold that party responsible which obstructs the work of preparing for early resumption.

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[illegible] or a jackal [illegible] of a lion, but as the coyote or jackal they would be merely [illegible] useful in a traveling show but worse than useless as a means of mustering the other beasts of the forest [illegible] Mississippi [illegible] where [illegible] the House of Representatives of the State [illegible] instead of fighting it out [illegible] victim of party tyranny [illegible] as Butler would sure [illegible] put his name to a letter evidently intended [illegible] the office of Governor till the House [illegible] with how the articles of impeachment. This, of course, was done, and Ames goes out convicted to all practical intents, leaving his adversaries without [illegible] the responsibility of his persecution. Ames should take his carpet bag and go back to Massachusetts where he can be under the immediate guardianship of Butler.

Dr Holland in the April number of *Scribner's Monthly*, thus discourses of the investigations and disclosures making in political life:

We are not alarmed or discouraged by the exposures of rascality in high places and low which greet our eyes in almost every morning's newspaper. These exposures are the natural product of health reaction, the first [illegible] steps toward the national cure. So long as fraud, peculation and defection exist, the faster these exposures come the better. Every exposure is a preacher of righteousness, an evangel of reform. The more dangerous all rascality and infidelity to trust can be made to appear the better for society. In any cutaneous disease, the more we see of it the better. It is before it appears or when it is sunk from the surface that it is most dangerous to the sources of life and the springs of cure.

After a wonderfully and fearfully long time Mr Clymer's committee have formerly presented articles of impeachment against Belknap. It is a noticeable fact that in the articles not a word is said about the Kentucky Central Railway job, in which the testimony before the committee showed Belknap to have acted in a manner scarcely explicable upon any theory consistent with an honest purpose to do his duty. But then that was the transaction in which Gentleman George Pendleton played no conspicuous a part and the House of Representatives is not engaged this winter besmirching Democratic leaders unnecessarily.

THE RECORD OF THE YEAR.—This is the title of a magazine or rather diary and scrap-book, edited by Frank Moore, well known as the author of "The Rebellion Record," and issued monthly by G W Carlton & Co, New-York. It is unlike anything in the magazine line hitherto published and resembles the "Rebellion Record" more than any publication heretofore sent out. As a chronicle of current events it is valuable and as a scrap book of the beauties and curiosities of literature, extremely entertaining. Most of the literary waifs worth preserving which are found floating round in the newspapers are picked up and preserved in this collection.

OREGON

A private dispatch states that C W Kahler's safe in Jacksonville was broken open Sunday night, the 26th inst and robbed of $500. No clue to the robbers.

The April session of the Linn County Business Council will be held with the Santiam Grange No 37, better known as Brother Cyrus Grange on Monday April 10th at 10 o'clock A M.

A meeting of the physicians of Salem last Wednesday evening for the purpose of organizing a Marion County Medical Society was fully attended and the proper steps taken for organization.

Charles Mulkey and Morg Lillard, two farmers living on the [illegible] were brought to Corvallis on Monday last and bound over in the sum of $200 to appear at the next term of the Benton county court for threatening to make mince meat of each other.

The boy [illegible] shot in the hand last Tuesday at Tangent is plucky but unlucky. This the third serious accident he has met with during the past two years. Some two years since he was kicked in the head by a mule and narrowly escaped with his life after a long illness, and subsequently he broke one of his legs.

Mr P H Raymond postmaster at Albany, has recently received information from Mr J B Underwood the postal agent that the present mail route from Corvallis to Buena Vista, Independence, Dallas, Monmouth etc will be changed so as to take in Albany. But how or when the change will be made is not yet known.

The *Enterprise* says the steamers *Bonanza*, *Success* and *Dayton* are now tied up in the basin at Oregon City on account of the dullness of the carrying trade. Nearly all the wheat has been brought down and there will be but little more heavy freight this season. The two latter of these boats will probably not be in use again as they are getting old and are of such small capacity as not to be worth repairing.

The man who committed suicide at Albany on the 4th of March has already furnished subject matter for a good many items. The Albany *Democrat* has another in regard to him as follows: On Tuesday afternoon Mr Falger son in law of O H Mitchell in company with Mr O P Smith of Tangent and Messrs Richard Cox and Henry Hill of this city proceeded to the cemetery and opened the grave. They found a coffin nicely trimmed with a snow white pillow but no head resting upon it. The casket contained no mortal remains but two gunny sacks filled with sand. Mr Falger says that the grave has apparently never been opened and that the coffin never has held a corpse. He feels certain that the unfortunate man was his father in law, and the only thing that can convince him otherwise would be the appearance of Mr Mitchell alive and he requests us to ask any person knowing of O H Mitchell being alive that they will communicate with him at [illegible] Benton county.

THE TERRITORIES

The town of Seattle is a lively and patriotic place. It is troubled frequently with burglars, has suffered three fires in [illegible] and has raised $[illegible] for a Fourth of July celebration.

The railroad from Duluth to Bismarck on the Missouri river was completed recently and is now in running order. It is expected that many parties going to the Black Hills will take this route.

Mike [illegible] the North Platte [illegible] who was sentenced [illegible] [illegible]

An [illegible] was [illegible] Walla Walla [illegible] some two weeks ago to the effect that [illegible] Waitsburg W T had [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

An English paper remarks that the feat performed by Weston of walking 100 miles in 22 consecutive hours is not unprecedented. A man named Powell on Sept 27 1787 who was [illegible] years old traveled on foot according to the *Annual Register* of that date 112 miles in [illegible] hours and [illegible] minutes. Leaving Canterbury at [illegible] in the afternoon he arrived at [illegible] Hearing [illegible] at [illegible] Canterbury [illegible] A wager [illegible] to walk 100 miles in [illegible] hours. The ground was measured on [illegible] He walked [illegible] which was an exact mile 100 times round. He won the wager with [illegible] hours and [illegible] performance [illegible]

MARRIED:

In Clackamas county, March [illegible], W [illegible] Dillsard and Miss Minnie Worsham.

In Clackamas county, March [illegible], Joseph Ringo and Miss Mary Horner.

In Clackamas county, March [illegible], W J Barclay and Miss Barbara A Cornett.

DIED:

In [illegible] county, March [illegible] [illegible] Webb, aged [illegible]

Near Oregon City, March [illegible], Mrs Nancy A Webb, aged [illegible] years.

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NEW SPRING DRESS GOODS, TRIMS AND Fancy Goods first class at [illegible] First st by JOHN WILSON.

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A GIRL TO DO HOUSEWORK. INQUIRE Sixth street between Washington and Stark at [illegible] FRIEDLANDER.

WANTED.

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NOTICE

ALL PERSONS ARE CAUTIONED AGAINST trusting my wife Catharine Turk for anything on my account as I will pay no debts of her contracting. m31d1t JAMES TURK

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WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED DIRECT FROM the manufacturers in New York large and desirable invoices of Goods in this line, to which we call the attention of the trade and painters generally.

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One American Horse.

A Good Wagons, suitable for hauling lumber, brick or for farm work.

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1 Splendid Black Walnut Desk
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6 Ash Dining Tables

ALSO

1 Elegant Reps Parlor Set, Bl'k Walnut. Brussels Carpets, 3 and 4-Ply Carpets

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NOTICE—SHIP ANN MELLICENT

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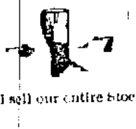

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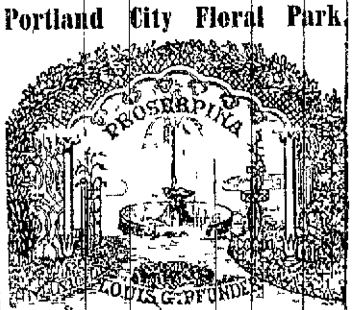

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Large assortment of GRO[illegible] Liberal advances made on [illegible] To parties declining [illegible] that I will [illegible]

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ALSO,

50 cases OLIVE OIL,
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ALSO,

20 sacks HAMS
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ALSO,

30 cases TOMATO CATSUP.
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ALSO,

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OF LOW[illegible]

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OF LIV[illegible]

Combined Capital[illegible]

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HENRY HEWE[illegible]

AGENTS FOR

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UNION

Insurance C[illegible]

FIRE AND MA[illegible]

Capital, (PAID UP IN GOLD COIN)

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BRANCH OFFICE [illegible]

First National Bank [illegible]

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The Daily Oregonian.
FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH [illegible]

CITY.

ANOTHER BLAZE.—Box No [illegible] sounded an alarm of fire yesterday morning a few minutes before 4 o'clock. Clouds of smoke and flames were seen to issue from the rear of the Columbia Hotel which stands on the corner of North Second and A streets. Thither the fire companies hurried as rapidly as possible but some little time elapsing between the discovery of the fire and the arrival of the [illegible], the flames spread rapidly and were making into the dry outbuildings at a lively rate. However, the "destroyer" soon met more than its match, when several powerful and well directed streams of water were thrown on to the burning building. Our firemen worked like tigers as they always do and after a spirited contest lasting nearly an hour, the "fiend" went under. The fire originated in the kitchen, which is situated to the rear of the main building. The attention of the cook was called at an early hour in the morning to a crackling sound and hurrying out the kitchen he was astonished to find the whole interior of the apartment in flames. Immediately the alarm was given. The building belongs to Capt. J. R. Wiley. There can be no doubt but what the fire was the work of an incendiary. Within the last three weeks three attempts have been made by some party to set fire to the property belonging to Mr Wiley—the last attempt being partially successful. So far as Mr Wiley knows he has not an enemy in the world and he is at a loss to conjecture who this secret malicious and cowardly enemy is, that seeks to [illegible] him. Capt Wiley estimates his loss at about $[illegible]. The kitchen, dining room woodshed and the outhouses attached, are almost entirely destroyed, and the main building is more or less damaged by the fire and water. The building is insured in the State Investment and Insurance Company for $1,000. Mr [illegible] Stiller, who was keeping the hotel at the time of the fire, sustains a loss quite heavy. Most of the furniture and household effects are ruined by the water. As yet Mr Stiller has not estimated his loss. His effects are insured in the North British Mercantile Insurance Company for $2,000. In a few days the losses will be adjusted.

REWARD FOR INCENDIARIES.—Under date of September 29, 1875, J Hunt chairman of the committee on arson, offered $1,000 reward in behalf of the Board of Fire Underwriters of San Francisco, for the arrest and conviction of any person guilty of arson in the city of Portland, Oregon, and vicinity, and posters on which the reward was printed, were distributed in large numbers about the city and throughout the country. An impression exists in the public mind that the reward is not now in force, but such is not the case. The Board of Underwriters in San Francisco still offers a reward for the arrest and conviction of any person guilty of the crime of arson. Beyond doubt there are several incendiaries now in this city, and it might be advisable for such persons to "go slow," as the additional incentive of the reward will increase the measure of vigilance among our citizens.

IMPROVEMENT CONTEMPLATED.—We learn from the *Advocate* that the trustees of the Taylor street M. E. church are about to convert the room known as the primary Sunday school room into a church parlor or reception room. It is to be carpeted and seated with chairs, curtains at the windows, and a chandelier put in to light it well. Social meetings are to be held there, and the Taylor street Literary Society also, who contributed liberally to its furnishing, will hold their regular meetings in it, making it a pleasant cheery room where the young people of the church may feel at home both in their social and religious meetings, and where the church can hold some of its special meetings as occasion may require.

A GOOD NUMBER.—The March number of the *West Shore* has been placed on our table. The first page is appropriately embellished with a good view of "Front street Portland looking south from Alder." Then follows an excellent article on an "Oregon Spring" by Mrs. F. F. Victor, a description of "Lake Majesty" on the summit of the Cascades, "Nooksack Valley," "The Land of Bunch Grass," "Rambling Notes of Olden Times," etc. Mr. L. Samuel, the enterprising publisher, has at considerable outlay produced as a supplement to this number a *fac simile* of the first newspaper printed in this State—the *Oregon Spectator*, issued at Oregon City, Thursday, February 5, 1846.

ADJUSTMENT OF LOSSES.—Since the fire in East Portland, the State Investment and Insurance Company have made the following adjustment of losses sustained: T J Robin[illegible] was insured for $3,500 and as he lost everything, was given the full amount of his policy. Mr. C. M. Carter the owner of the City Hotel, was insured for $3,000 on the building and $1,000 on the furniture. On the building he was allowed $1 [illegible] and on the furniture $[illegible], making a total of $1 [illegible]. These amounts have been promptly paid. Yesterday the loss sustained by Capt. J. R. Wiley was being adjusted, and the amount allowed will be known to-day.

TIME EXTENDED.—Heretofore the announcement has been made that the railroad companies will reduce fares over their lines during the Centennial jubilee to take place in Portland in July, from Saturday July 1st, to Saturday, 8th—one week. We are informed that the companies have generously expressed a willingness to extend the time in which passengers will be carried at half rates three days longer. By this arrangement persons can avail themselves of reduced rates from the 1st to the 11th of July.

MISSIONARY CONCERT.—Next Sunday at two o'clock P. M. the regular Sabbath School Concert exercises of the Taylor-street M. E. Sunday School will take place. The subjects to be treated principally, will be "King David" and the "Ascension of Christ," the latter being the subject of the lesson for the past quarter. The pastor, Rev Mr Bentley, will deliver a short address on "The Ascension of Christ."

CITY TAXES.—Mr Jos Bachman city treasurer, informs us that he has closed up his books and turned them over to the city auditor as required by law. He has collected in the vicinity of $40,000 which leaves only about $2,100 on the delinquent list. Considering that times are rather close the city treasurer has done remarkably well in the collection of taxes.

SUMMER RESORT.—GRAVELLY LAKE.—Capt J C Ainsworth, we learn, contemplates visiting Pierce county, Washington Territory as soon as the weather will permit and make some valuable improvements at his beautiful summer resort on Gravelly Lake. Among other improvements he will cause to be erected a general reception room and will fit it up in an appropriate manner.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U. S. Signal Station of Observation, Portland Oregon, March 30 1876:

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REFORM SCHOOL COMMITTEE.—There will be a called meeting of this committee in the chess room over the office of [illegible] this evening at half past seven o'clock. This meeting is for the purpose of receiving the report of the subcommittee on correspondence and other business in connection with [illegible] for a reform school.

GET YOUR MEASURES.—[illegible] All the members of Willamette Engine [illegible] are requested to drop into Messrs [illegible] to-day and get their heads measured for the new hats which have been ordered. [illegible] are requested not to get the "big head" [illegible] the hats when they [illegible].

CLOSED DOWN.—The iron works at Oswego closed down on Monday for repairs. Some of the pipes had burned out and needed replacing with new ones. It will require a few days to make the necessary repairs when the furnace will start again.

"SONGS OF SEVEN."—The entertainment spoken of in yesterday's issue will take place at the First Congregational church next Tuesday evening and not [illegible] as announced.

STORE BURGLARIZED.—A few nights ago we learn that the bookstore of Mr C C Barrett on Front street was entered by burglars. Entrance was effected to the back part of the store and a hole cut through the door sufficiently large to admit a man's body. The thieves then [illegible] the drawers and succeeded in [illegible]. The burglars might have [illegible] of gold pens but they did not think of it or else became frightened and hastily decamped.

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BRIEF NOTES.

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What of the [illegible] much talked of.

Chas Hirstal & Co. have our thanks for choice periodicals of a late date.

All fools and there are a great many of them will have their day to-morrow.

A spell of fair weather will [illegible] of the [illegible] improvement of street.

A [illegible] black board left by Ash [illegible] streets.

The pavement opposite the steps to the post office should be raised in order to give better drainage.

WEEKLY [illegible] in wrappers for mailing to Eastern friends [illegible] at the business counter.

Rush in and pay your county taxes as time is short. Saturday the books will be closed, so says Jeff.

A number of hail storms yesterday with fifteen minutes of stray sunshine sandwiched in between them.

The March lion dies to-day. We hope his roar will be heard no more in all the land at least not until 1877.

Adam Staender mourns the loss of a canary that could "hold its own" with any other warbler in these parts. It is now in the hands of a taxidermist.

Find a young man who has no money or who having money has no desire to get rid of it unprofitably and you find a soil upon which roguery cannot fasten.

Sickness is often aggravated and life itself is sometimes lost from paying to a second man what cured the first because the circumstances were not the same.

Mrs Joseph Gaston and her daughter returned on the last steamer having spent the past winter in California. Their numerous friends will be pleased to hear of their safe return.

P. O. box rents are about due. Quite a number of boxes are vacant and many larger ones are needed for the accommodation of those who receive great quantities of mail matter particularly in the shape of newspapers.

In the case of the State of Oregon vs. John Sedlink for assault and battery on Anton Motschuk in Justice's court for North Portland precinct came forward pleaded guilty paid fine and costs and was discharged from custody.

The book of registered letter entries in use at the post office has been defaced by some persons who had no better use of their time than to exhibit a desire to scratch with a pen. To prevent this other arrangements should be made to keep it more private.

THE COURTS.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SHATTUCK J.

THURSDAY March 30 1876.

Henrietta Kelly vs P W Davis: motion for a new trial granted, costs to abide the event of the action.

W H Adams vs Multnomah County: judgment against defendant.

A G Walling vs W W Baker: decree of foreclosure of chattel mortgage.

H Balch vs H C Leonard: cause continued for the term.

Thos Carter vs A Hamilton et al: default of defendants Hamilton and wife entered.

M J Beal vs D I Beal: order of default heretofore entered revoked, cause dismissed.

C Ettes vs E H Garling: order staying execution until further order of court.

John Donnerberg vs C M Rohr et al: Samuel Smith appointed as shorthand reporter to take testimony.

J M Moore vs C C Miller et al: cause tried and submitted.

John F Lander vs P F Mosgrove et al: Jos Charlton John Howell and J W Walker appointed commissioners to make partition and to report as soon as possible.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

Enoch Newsome for cruel and inhuman treatment of a horse was sentenced to pay a fine of $20, which he paid.

Wm Hayne arrested on a charge of assault and battery was fined and in default of payment committed to the county jail.

P Mitchell charged with being slightly inebriated and conducting himself in a noisy and unseemly manner was fined $10. Chronic [illegible] claimed him as its victim and consigned him to street cleaning for five days.

At a late hour last evening the following arrests were made: Mrs Daly, disorderly conduct; Nancy Sherry, disorderly conduct. Both defendants were admitted to bail for their appearance this morning and released from custody.

John Sam a nomadic Injun, absorbed too much firewater and went roaring about the city until he fell into the clutches of the officers. He was fined [illegible] an insignificant sum which this noble red man of the primeval forest smilingly handed to Capt Sloan, and walked off like a true red man.

The senior member of the firm has returned and brought with him the last of his purchases while in San Francisco. Reference is made to Mr Roberts of Fishel & Roberts. This firm have a complete assortment of goods.

John Miller *alias* Ambrose R. Woodruff has conveyed the lands bought from the Coos Bay Wagon Road Company to Leland Stanford, Charles Crocker, C. P. Huntington and Mark Hopkins: consideration $[illegible].

March and winter weather is near at a close and every one is thankful for it and likewise will be pleased to know that Beck & Waldman have the most complete stock of clothing in the city.

A good cup of coffee is the delight of an epicurean. Get it at Fabre & Barnes.

CORNS CURED.—Dr. Halpruner's chiropodist late of San Francisco treats corns without pain or losing the patient. A sure cure guaranteed. Persons wishing to have their corns treated at their residences can leave their order at my office or by postal card. Office in Monastes building, First street.

NEW STYLE BILLIARD TABLE.—A novel and attractive pool table direct from Brunswick & Balke's manufactory Cincinnati is the latest novelty at Peter Wilhelm's Fountain Saloon. The table is meeting with much favor among lovers of pool.

Dr Wightman will be at St Charles Hotel only to-day (Friday) and Saturday. Two days more. Those interested please notice.

[illegible] NOTICE.—All those purchasing [illegible] Whisky will [illegible]

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W. H. ADAMS M. D. [illegible] to assist in treating women.

The peculiar finish of the [illegible] makes it thoroughly perspiration proof. All first class furnishing stores sell them.

THE BELLS OF LIMERICK

The old bells that hung in the tower of the Limerick Cathedral were made by a young Italian after many years of patient toil. He was proud of his work and when they were purchased by the prior of a neighboring convent near the Lake of Como, the artist with the profits of the sale bought a pretty villa on the margin of the lake, where he could hear their [illegible] music wafted from the convent cliff across the waters at morning, noon and night. Here he intended to pass his life but this happiness was denied him. [illegible] he was bereft of all; and when the storm passed he found himself without home, family, friend and fortune. The convent [illegible] and the bells carried away to a foreign land. He became a wanderer. His hair grew white and his heart withered before he again found a resting place. In all these years of bitter desolation the memory of the music of his bells never left him. He heard it in the forest and in the crowded city, on the [illegible] and by the banks of the quiet stream in the bosom of the hills; he heard it by day and when night came, and troubled sleep, it whispered to him soothingly of peace and happiness. One day he met a mariner from over the sea who told him a story of a wondrous chime of bells he had heard in Ireland. An intuition told the artist that they were his bells. He journeyed and voyaged thither, sick and weary, and sailed up the Shannon. The ship came to anchor in the port near Limerick and he took passage in a small boat for the purpose of reaching the city. Before him the tall steeple of St Mary's lifted its turreted head above the mist and smoke of the old town. He leaned back wearily yet with a happy light beaming from his eyes. The angels were whispering to him that his bells were there. He prayed. Oh, let them sound me a loving welcome—just one note of greeting, O bells! and my pilgrimage is done. It was a beautiful evening. The air was like that of his own Italy in the sweetest time of the year, the death of the spring. The bosom of the river was like a broad mirror reflecting the patines of bright gold that flecked the blue sky, the towers, and the streets of the old town in its clear depths. The lights of the city danced upon the wavelets that rippled from the boat as she glided along. Suddenly the stillness was broken. From St Mary's there came a silver sound filling the air with music. The boatmen rested on their oars to listen. The old Italian crossed his arms and fixed his streaming eyes upon the tower. The sound of his bells bore to his heart all the sweet memories of his buried past, home, friends, kindred, all. At last he was happy, too happy to speak, too happy to breathe. When the rowers sought to arouse him his face was upturned to the tower but his eyes were closed. The poor stranger had breathed his last. His own cherished chime had rung his passing bell.—*Harper's Weekly.*

VELOCITY OF ELECTRICITY.—Prof Lovering of Cambridge in his admirable paper on measuring the velocity of electricity presents the following facts which may answer the frequent inquiry how fast electricity can move over the wires. Eliminating the somewhat scientific character of the query Mr Lovering states that in 1869 Prof Winlock, of Harvard sent electric signals from Cambridge to San Francisco, and thence by other lines to Cambridge and back again to Cambridge over a loop of wire measuring 7,200 miles. This long journey was performed by electricity in about two thirds of a second and no small portion of this brief interval was lost in bringing into action the thirteen repeaters which were interpolated into the circuit. The total transmission time between Brest France and Duxbury, Mass, by way of St Pierre, was 316 of one second. The total distance by cable is 3,129 nautical miles, the distance from Brest to St Pierre being 2,580 nautical miles, and that from St Pierre to Duxbury 749 nautical miles. By calculation, then, the transmission time between Brest and St Pierre was 63 of a second and between St Pierre and Duxbury 177 of a second. So that the two branches were traversed—one at the rate of about 4,000 nautical miles a second and the other at the rate of 1,230 nautical miles a second.

A correspondent of the Helena *Independent*, writing from the Black Hills, says: One great fact concerning the Hills in which all agree is that they are noted for the frequency and fierceness of the storms of thunder and lightning, said to be attracted by the great quantity of magnetic iron to be found there. The Indians who inhabit the country are so familiar with this that they regard some of the more elevated peaks with a species of superstitious awe, and in general avoid these localities. The appearance of timber shattered and rent in twain, evidencing the fury of the storms that must have visited them.

Frank Tepley and Loomis Near arrived at Silver City recently from the Snake River mines where they were searching for the filthy lucre for the past three months. They are not favorably impressed with the richness of the diggings in that direction. Two of the boys there, Joe Wickham and Charles Bunting, struck a pocket a few weeks ago from which they have been making $4 per day.

Another man was shot and killed at [illegible] on the Union Pacific a day or two ago. The undertakers have been driving a lively trade there lately most of their subjects being perforated with bullet holes.

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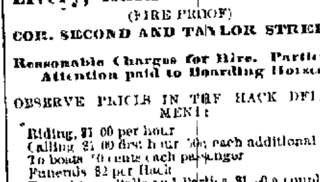

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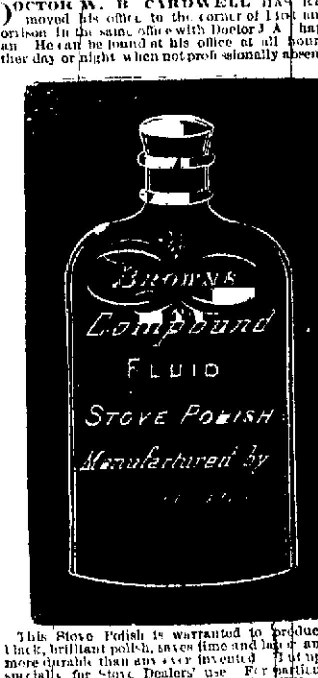

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THE OLDEST OREGONIAN

[illegible] March [illegible]

[illegible] Hon Donald Manson [illegible] Mr Manson [illegible] Territory of [illegible] Hon W H Gray [illegible] Mr Manson [illegible] nationality that the [illegible] Hon S H Smith of Clatsop county [illegible] British [illegible] Territory, January [illegible] United States [illegible] October 20 1852 [illegible] Mr Gray says While Hon S H Smith was an active farming settler of Oregon Mr Manson was using all his extensive knowledge and influence as a British subject to make Oregon a British province, and because he, Mr Manson in 1850, resigned his position as a servant of the H B Company and opposition to the American settlement in Oregon and in 1858 moved his family to Champoeg, Marion county, therefore he is now the old st *American settler now living* [illegible] the italicized words appearing as a quotation from my article when, in fact, no such phrase nor any other words conveying a like import are to be found in the communication. It will be observed that Mr Gray disposes of the original question by introducing a new one, that of national allegiance. Continuing Mr Gray says "While I admire Mr Rees research and the energy he puts forth in collecting and publishing interesting sketches of pioneers it appears strange that he goes out of the legitimate field of research for his examples and claims for them a position that his own narrative does not justify. I might with propriety be permitted to say that it appears strange that my friend Mr Gray, should so strongly be unwilling to acknowledge the position [illegible] for Mr Manson [illegible] the appellation of early settling pioneer [illegible] residing within the limits of the original Territory of Oregon. He like Mr Smith entered into the Territory under the provisions of the convention of joint occupation of the country concluded in 1818 and reaffirmed in 1827 between the United States and Great Britain which gave to the respective citizens and subjects equal rights in the Territory and under the Provisional Government of Oregon each were entitled to the same rights and immunities as settlers or citizens. Mr Gray further remarks "I feel confident that the first president of the Pioneer and Historical Society of Oregon will hold his honors without a rival." If there lives or has lived another man justly entitled to it give us his name and history, and allow Hon S H Smith to take his place as second, or any other number in the roll of honor as an American Pioneer" Messrs J. Cannon, Jos Jervais and E. Lucie, (father-in-law of Mr Manson,) all of whom came to Oregon some years prior to the arrival of either Messrs Manson or Smith, neither of those early pioneers were servants of the H B Co. The former a native of Pennsylvania, and Oregon's pioneer millwright and miller, the two latter were Canadian Frenchmen and British subjects, and were especially well known to the early settlers of French Prairie They reached an advanced age, but have long since departed.

As the two pioneer organizations of this country have each decided for itself as to who are entitled to the name and privileges which it confers upon its members, permit me for a moment to glance at the constitution of the Pioneer and Historical Society, of which Mr Gray is an honored officer. In the last clause of the second article may be found the following liberal annunciation "This society having no national, sectarian or political prejudices or preferences, as indicated in its preamble and constitution." Then in its limitations as to who are eligible to membership its constitution is likewise remarkably liberal indeed and are found in the seventh article to wit: "All persons may become members of this society who arrived upon this coast [illegible] or were born in the country prior to Jan 1 1851, and are 21 years of age at the time of signing." From the import which this language bears, the only difficulty which presents itself would seemingly be to find some person, who had arrived on this coast, or been born in the country prior to Jan 1 1851 who would not be eligible to membership in the Pioneer and Historical Society of Oregon. But if an amicable solution of the point under consideration cannot be reached without instituting invidious comparisons better, perhaps, this momentous question should remain shrouded in mystery to the civilized world for as many ages as has been the hidden source of the Nile.

I purpose on a future occasion to give some facts connected with the first introduction of seeds, agricultural implements farming mill building, &c from whence and by whom imported and distributed among the few destitute settlers who commenced in a very primitive manner, to cultivate Oregon's virgin soil. The principal object of the Oregon Pioneer Association, is to collect and preserve all facts of interest connected with the people who discovered, explored, introduced and established the customs of civilized life and government in the late wild regions of the north Pacific coast, which were occupied jointly by citizens and subjects of the United States and Great Britain. This principal object is certainly a laudable one and may with propriety involve the legitimate inquiries as to who those people were and from whence they came. Whether sent into the wilderness as explorers mariners traders trappers missionaries, politicians, or came of their own volition with their families flocks and herds to establish if possible, permanent settlements in the then far isolated territory where rolls the Oregon until lost at that historic point where old Sol on each returning evening bids his last good night to the American people.

WILLARD H REES

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Currency Exchange on San Francisco [illegible] per cent premium

Gold Bars 100 par

In local circles the financial situation [illegible] materially changed the call for accommodation [illegible] slow except an occasional demand on the market to purchase wheat for vessels at hand. Specie [illegible] of all kinds is depressed and the circulation [illegible] capital that [illegible] in the country [illegible] merchants as a rule are [illegible] with promptness showing that the [illegible] at large is not pressed [illegible] to meet obligations [illegible] the day and [illegible] to the capitalists to induce them to [illegible] their funds [illegible] masses

The news from the East by mail is [illegible] The [illegible] to argue from the depreciation of silver against the assumption of specie payments in any form [illegible] authority in the West its utterances are of weight it says

For some time the [illegible] of a specie basis for banking and as a standard [illegible] argued its [illegible]

sity in order that we be placed in rapport with other nations. What now are we to do? To trade with China and India containing wealth and population more than equal to all the rest of the human family we must adopt silver and to have a currency interchangeable with England Germany and France we must have gold. Present rumors are to be credited the treasury vaults are to be opened to receive our entire product of silver. Then we shall have another seven years contest [illegible] gold or silver shall be the standard of value. How much better [illegible] to hold [illegible] all our [illegible] articles [illegible] chance [illegible]

[illegible]

The Produce Market

[illegible] the very fountain of [illegible] sharp advance [illegible] Liverpool [illegible] for the season [illegible] Europe [illegible] the cargoes [illegible] up the supply

The local market for mill feed hay and oats, is not changed the weather continuing so inclement that supplies are held back and prices well sustained. Provisions are not coming forward [illegible] as was expected and the demand for choice bacon and lard is active. Hams and shoulders are slow of sale. Dairy products are in fair supply for the local trade and shipments have fallen off owing to the depression in the San Francisco market. [illegible] generally been selling during the week at [illegible] cents [illegible] advanced [illegible]

Wool Market.

The latest advices from the East are discouraging to wool growers. The market is in an unsatisfactory state which is illustrated by the fact that there will be but three large firms engaged in the wool trade in New York city this year the others having become discouraged. The number of failures in the last twelve months among manufacturers has had a very demoralizing effect upon the trade at large and all engaged in it have adopted a most conservative course. The outlook for Pacific coast wools is not [illegible] and that low prices must be accepted is [illegible] settled conviction of those best [illegible] with the situation.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Oriflamme will sail for San Francisco to-morrow [illegible] o'clock P M with freight and passengers

The steamship California and [illegible] are but about due from the North

The barkentine Portland with a cargo of assorted merchandise from San Francisco arrived this morning

The brig Sea Wolf is reported coming up the river and may reach her berth in this city to night

The Samuel Watts has her cargo on board and will clear in a day or two

The remainder of the wheat for the cargo of the Dunnottar Castle will go down the river to morrow.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO March 30 —Arrived—Schr John McCollough Shoalwater Bay schr Energy Shoalwater Bay bk [illegible] Murry Honolulu bktne Lotus, Hongkong with 791 Chinamen Tahiti brig Paloma, Tahiti

Sailed—Br ship Patterdale Liverpool str Montana, Panama Br str Vasco de Gama, Hongkong

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 30,— Flour—Extra jobbing $6@6 50

Wheat—Common coast, $1 77½@1 80 shipping, to be delivered at Vallejo $1 90 choice $1 92½

Barley—$1 15@1 25, brewing, $1 30@1 32½

Oats—$2 20@2 45

Hay—$12@19

Corn—Large yellow $1 22½@1 25

Rye—Good $1 75

Beans—Pink $[illegible] Sacramento river pea, fair to choice in lots $2 [illegible]

Potatoes—$2 12½, down to $1 80 for common

Wool—Inferior to good clean spring sold during week at 12½@17c

Silver coin 6½ per cent discount brokers buying price

Liverpool wheal market to day 10s 2d@10s 6d for average California 10s 5d@11s for club

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT — For fair average lots, $1 70 per cental sacked

FLOUR—Quotable best brands $5 00 ₩ bbl good outside and country brands $4 75 fine and superfine $4 00@4 25

OATS—Surprise 72c per bushel, common [illegible] black 60c

BARLEY—Choice brewing $1 [illegible]@1 40 feed $1 25 @1 35 ₩ cwt

MILLFEED—Bran $[illegible] ₩ ton shorts $[illegible] chopped [illegible] middlings etc $[illegible] oil cake meal $[illegible]

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter solid [illegible] ₩ lb brine [illegible] roll [illegible] fancy dairy [illegible] cheese quotable at 18@20 ₩ lb

EGGS—Quotable at 17c ₩ dozen

CHICKENS—Full grown $3 [illegible] ₩ doz

POTATOES—Common [illegible] choice 75c ₩ bushel

ONIONS—As to quality $2 00@2 25 ₩ 100 lbs

HAY—Choice timothy bale [illegible] loose $15 wild $10

DRIED APPLES—In sacks 8½c, in kegs 8@8½c ₩ lb

RIPE FRUITS—Apples packed for shipping Winesaps $1@$1 [illegible] Yellow Newtowns and Pippins $1 00@1 25 other varieties $1@1 25 ₩ box pears $1 [illegible]

LARD—Oregon made fresh in tins, 16c ₩ lb in kegs 16c

DRIED PLUMS—With pits 6c pitless 15@16c ₩ lb

BACON—Hams choice 16@17c common to good, 12½@13½c ₩ lb, sides, 12½@13c shoulders, 8c

HIDES AND FURS—We quote best selected hides at 11c ₩ lb, culls ⅓ off green 6@6c elk 10@ 15c ₩ lb deer, 18@30c ₩ lb for dried and 50@75c each green, mink skins, $1 50 each otter $4@5 each beaver $1@$1 25

FRESH MEATS—Beef dressed [illegible] ₩ lb on foot 1½@2½c; dressed hogs, 6@6½c ₩ lb mutton sheep $2 50@3 ₩ head

Street Improvements.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve the streets hereinafter named as follows

D street—from the west line of N. Front to center line of N Fourth by grading laying sidewalks plank roadway 16 feet wide with intersections planked in full and plank gutters

D street—across N. F. Park street by grading plank roadway 16 feet wide gutters and crosswalks [illegible] street from west line of N. First to center of N Third by grading sidewalks crosswalks plank roadway 16 feet wide and plank gutters

B street from center of N Fifth to center of N Fleventh by grading laying sidewalks crosswalks plank roadway eight feet wide and plank gutters

Oak street from west line of First to east line of Fourth by grading laying sidewalks plank roadway 16 feet wide with full intersections and plank gutters

Stark street from west line of Fourth to center of Seventh by grading laying sidewalks crosswalks plank roadway 16 feet wide and plank gutters

Taylor street west line of First to east line of Second by laying plank roadway full width

Salmon street at intersection of Second street by grading and planking full width with gutters

Jefferson street—from west line of Fourth to west line of Seventh by grading laying sidewalks crosswalks and Macadamizing

Columbia street from the west line of Second to the east line of Fourth street by grading laying sidewalks plank gutters plank roadway 16 feet wide and the intersection of Third street planked in full

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

March 30 1876 md11

CLOSING OUT SALE.

AT THE OLD STAND OF MOORE & HOLLA [illegible]

Entire Stock of Boots, Shoes & Fixtures

will be sold at [illegible] cost for the next 30 days

[illegible] Bargains [illegible] advertising humbug [illegible]

[illegible] Trustee

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between [illegible] Garling and Frank Ramel [illegible] has been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the Portland Market to this date must be paid to the undersigned within twenty days and all accounts unpaid at the expiration of the last named time will be placed in the hands of Curtis C Mulkey for collection.

F H GARLING

Portland Mar 1 1876 [illegible]

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED FORMERLY OF THE Multnomah House Portland having purchased the New Hotel on the corner of First and Main streets will be prepared to accommodate the public in about two weeks

JOHN SCHADE

[illegible]

LIST OF POST-OFFICES.

OREGON.

Baker Co		Multnomah,
[illegible]	Camp Watson	East Portland,
*Baker City	Camp Harney	*Portland
Clarksville	Dayville	Powell's Valley
Express Ranch	John Day City	Sauvie's Island
[illegible]	Monument	St Johns
[illegible]	Prairie City	Willamette Height
[illegible] Valley	[illegible]	
[illegible]		Polk
	Jackson	[illegible]
Benton	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Clackamas	Josephine	Tillamook.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Linn	Umatilla.
Clatsop.	[illegible]	[illegible]
*Astoria		
Clifton		
[illegible]		Union.
Knappa		[illegible]
Olney,		[illegible]
Skipanon		North Powder,
Seaside House		[illegible]
Westport	[illegible]	Summerville
		Union
Coos	Lake.	Wallowa
Central City	Antler	
Coledo	Bonanza	Wasco
Coquille	Chewaukan	Antelope
Coos City	Drews Valley	Bake Oven
Dora	Goose Lake	Camp Polk
Empire City	Linkville	Bridge Creek
Fishhawk Falls	Langell Valley	Deschutes
Fairview	Lost River	Fossil
Henryville	Morganville	Hay Creek
Hermansville	Silver Lake	Hood River,
Iowa Slough,	Sprague River	Olex
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Ott	Tule Lake	Mitchell
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Sitkin	Yainax,	Scotts
Sitkum		Spanish Hollow
Utter City	Linn.	*The Dalles
	*Albany	Tygh Valley
Columbia	Big Prairie	Upper Ochoco
Columbia City	*Brownsville	Warm Springs
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Milton	Diamond Hill	Willoughby
Rainier	Fox Valley	
Riverside	Cross Ridge	Washington.
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Scappoose	*Harrisburg	Cedar Mill
	Halsey,	Cornelius
Curry.	Lebanon	Dilley
[illegible]	Lebanon	*Forest Grove,
Ellensburg	Miller	Gales Creek
Port Orford	Mount Pleasant	Gaston
	Newbern	Glencoe
Douglas	Peoria	Greenville
Camas Valley	Lime	Hillsboro
Cleveland	Scio	Lennon
Cole's Valley	Soda Springs	Middleton
N Canyonville	Shedds	Mountain Dale
Drain,	Sweet Home	Peake
Elkton,	Tangent	Shell's Ferry
Galesville,		Taylor's Ferry,
Gardiner	Marion.	Tualatin,
Kellogg,	Aurora	Wapato
Looking Glass,	Aumsville	West Union,
Myrtle Creek,	Butteville	
*Oakland,	Butte Creek,	Yamhill.
Pass Creek,	Fairfield,	Amity,
*Roseburg	Gervais,	Bellevue,
Scottsburg	Hubbard's,	Carleton
Ten Mile	Jefferson,	Dayton,
Umpqua City,	Marion	*Lafayette
Wilbur,	Monitor	*McMinnville
Yoncalla.	Newellsville,	North Yamhill,
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Grant.	Silverton,	Sheridan
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	Turner	
	Woodburn,	

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Stoughton,	White Salmon	
Union Ridge,		Thurston.
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Chehalis.	Claquato,	Tenino,
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	Winlock	
Columbia.		Walla Walla.
Dayton	Mason	Alpowa
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Tukanon	Oakland	*Walla Walla,
	Skokomish	Wainola
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Carrollton	Pierce.	Whatcom.
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Lower Cowlitz	Puyallup	[illegible]
Martin's Bluff	*Steilacoom	La Conner
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Mt Coffin	New Tacoma	Lopez
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Olequa		San Juan
Toledo	Pacific.	Semiahmoo
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Squak	Collins Landing	Mok See,
White River		Nanum,
	Stevens.	Pleasant Grove,
Kitsap.	Chawetah	Selah
Blakely,	Crab Creek,	Yakima.
Port Madison		

*Money Order Offices

SUMMONS—Justice's Court for the precinct of Morrison State of Oregon County of Multnomah ss. W S Ladd and [illegible] Tilton partners composing the firm of Ladd & Tilton plaintiffs vs The Nevada and Northern Telegraph Company a foreign corporation defendant To The Nevada and Northern Telegraph Company the above named defendant In the name of the State of Oregon You are hereby required to appear before the undersigned [illegible] the Peace for the precinct aforesaid on the 5th day of May 1876 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon [illegible] to answer [illegible] the plaintiff [illegible] defendant will take notice that if [illegible] to appear [illegible] judgment against [illegible] Given under my hand this [illegible] day of March 1876

[illegible]
Justice of the Peace

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[illegible] GOODMAN

Dated March 7 1876

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MR Walter V Smith is admitted as a member of our firm [illegible] to the interest of Mr J S [illegible] who retires from the same on this day

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Portland	7 30 A M	Roseburg	7 10 P
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As follows

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	[illegible] 0 P M	Albany	[illegible] 25 P M.
Albany	5 30 A M	Portland	10 05 A M.

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PLUMMER FRUIT DRYER.

AS A PROOF OF WHAT I HAVE HERETOFORE stated to the people of Oregon I give below a letter from the Plummer Fruit Drying Co of East Portland. After the close of business of 1875 fully endorsing it after using it one entire season and as a proof to substantiate what they say, they now contemplate putting up another Dryer of the same capacity of the one they now have which will increase their capacity to five hundred bushels of apples per day. Having now located here in Portland for the purpose of supplying the demand for Fruit Dryers in Oregon and Washington Territory I can supply these dryers at a cost of from $1 000 to $2 000 according to capacity. Warranted to dry from 5 to 20 bushels of apples per hour, at a small cost for labor and fuel. These machines being so cheap and simple in construction they cannot fail to supersede all other known machines. I would also say to the fruit growers that I have invented a Machine (and am now waiting for a patent) that will cut and spread the fruit on the trays with a very small amount of labor. I also have invented a Peach Parer that is on an entirely new principle, paring soft as well as hard, does its work well, with great speed and slices and pits the fruit ready for the Dryer in the best possible manner, and at a great saving in quantity of fruit.

Having become somewhat acquainted with the wants of the people, I find that a cheap DRYER is what is wanted and one that will do good work and a large amount of it I have so modified my Dryer as to meet that demand and can now guarantee my CHEAP DRYER to do as good work as any and as large an amount of it, and the price is within the reach of all

W S PLUMMER Patentee,
Portland, Oregon

ja7d&wtf

FRUIT DRYER TESTIMONIALS.

EAST PORTLAND, Jan. 4th 1876

MR W. S PLUMMER—*Dear Sir* As this is a time when all are much interested in Fruit Drying we think that in justice to you and for the information of the public it is but right and proper that we should give all the information that we can. Now after having operated your Dryer during this season we feel warranted in saying that for the amount of money invested we still believe as we did from the start that your Dryer is the best Dryer yet introduced into this country. The capacity of the Dryer we find to be about 8 (eight) bushels per hour. The Dried fruit we claim to be as good as any though perhaps not as much bleached as the "Alden" Fruit and we are satisfied that we can produce Dried Fruit at less expense than the Alden." The stockholders of our Company manifested their confidence in the Plummer Dryer at our meeting last Saturday by a unanimous vote to increase the capital stock $12 000 (twelve thousand dollars) for the purpose of adding one more Dryer to the present one and making other improvements for next season. We will further say that we believe that by an improvement made by the patentee in the Heater and Fan that there will be an increase of capacity and a saving of Fuel

H HANSON President,
J S NEWELL Secretary and Superintendent

EAST PORTLAND Dec 13 1875

MR PLUMMER—*Dear Sir* I have been watching both the Alden and your Fruit Dryer the past season so as to determine which was the best Machine for drying Prunes. I visited the Alden Dryer at Oregon City and examined the Prunes dried on that Machine and I have also examined several lots dried on your Machine at East Portland and my opinion is that your Dryer is far the best Machine for drying Prunes. My reasons are these. Your Machine dries them without bursting or cracking while I noticed that a great deal of the fruit dried on the Alden Machine was bursted open and after a Prune is bursted in drying it is worthless for market as a Prune therefore I can recommend your Machine for drying Prunes or any thing else. Yours truly

H W PRETTYMAN
Proprietor of Railroad Nursery

PORTLAND Jan. 10 1876.

MR W S PLUMMER—*Dear Sir* The Dryer purchased by us from you for the purpose of drying our Onions has now been in operation two months and does good work. All those that have tried the product pronounce it the very best quality

Yours truly STEEL & CO

PROPOSALS for MILITARY SUPPLIES.

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Office and Treating Rooms 127 and 129 First St Portland Oregon

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon—In the matter of C H Comstock J J Scoggins and C B Comstock [illegible] Bankrupts. This is to give notice that I will file my final account as Assignee of the estates of C H Comstock J J Scoggins and C B Comstock [illegible] in said Court and that on the 24 day of April next at [illegible] o'clock P M there will be [illegible] final meeting in said estates before H H Northup Register in Bankruptcy Room No 5 Dekum's Building Portland Oregon at which time I shall apply to said court for the settlement of my said accounts and for the discharge of all liability as Assignee in said estates according to the provisions of the bankrupt law of the United States

[illegible] BROOKE Assignee

Portland March [illegible] 1876

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE DISTRICT of Oregon In Bankruptcy District of Oregon [illegible]

[illegible]

H H NORTHUP Register in Bankruptcy

Portland Mar [illegible] 1876

K of P—Excelsior Lodge No 1, meets every Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock in Castle Hall corner First and Taylor streets. Members of Sister Lodges and sojourning brothers are cordially invited to attend

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T. A. DAVIS & CO., Whol[illegible] Oregon.

YOUNG [illegible]

Who may be suffering from the [illegible] ful follies or indiscretion, will [illegible] themselves of this, the greatest [illegible] at the altar of suffering h[illegible] NEY will guarantee to [illegible] case of seminal weakness, or [illegible] any kind or character which [illegible] and fails to cure. He would [illegible] and the unfortunate sufferer who [illegible] tice, that you are treading [illegible] ground when you longer [illegible] proper remedy for your [illegible] be in the first stage; [illegible] proaching the last. If you [illegible] the last, and are suffering [illegible] fects, remember that if you [illegible] nation, the time must come [illegible] skillful physician can render [illegible] when the door of hope will be [illegible] you, when no angel of [illegible] lief. In no case has the D[illegible] cess. Then let not despair [illegible] imagination, but avail [illegible] results of his treatment before [illegible] yond the reach of medical skill, or [illegible] death hurries you to a [illegible] course of treatment [illegible] Post Office order or Express [illegible] tion of the case. Call, or [illegible]

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DR. [illegible] DISP[illegible]

[illegible]

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EASTERN NEW[illegible]

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGON[illegible]]

Increase in Receipts.

PHILADELPHIA March [illegible] —Capt [illegible] the Centennial bureau of transportat[illegible] an increased activity in receipts of [illegible] hibition. The latest arrival [illegible] from Mexico—61 cases containing [illegible] of art.

Destructive Fire

NEW ROCHELLE March [illegible] —Seven [illegible] Main street were burned [illegible] insurance $20 000

Bowen did not Come to [illegible]

NEW YORK March [illegible] Henry C [illegible] meet the special committee of Plym[illegible] last night. He sent a letter explainin[illegible] the contents of which the committee [illegible] close. It was conjectured that Bowe[illegible] appear was based on a determinati[illegible] mittee at a previous meeting not [illegible] timony of Mr Bradshaw whom Bow[illegible] introduce as a witness. The committ[illegible] reply to Bowen's note.

Boilers Exploded

PROVIDENCE March [illegible] boiler of th[illegible] ers of the Fletcher mill exploded [illegible] killing two men and wounding more [illegible] ly a number of others. Loss to th[illegible] $25,000

Specie Shipment.

NEW YORK March [illegible] Specie [illegible] Europe by to morrow's steamer am[illegible] $600,000

The Sugar Trade

The Great Turner sugar Refiner[illegible] charged their workmen and will [illegible] liquidation. Their capacity is abou[illegible] day

That Dam Disaste[illegible]

WORCESTER March 31 —The floo[illegible] disaster did no material damage bel[illegible] cester Blackstone river valley wa[illegible] The losses in part are estimated as fo[illegible] Worcester dam and reservoir $125 0[illegible] summer's supply of water $4 000 G[illegible] house and barn $10 000 J W S[illegible] and tenement—mill owned by Wrig[illegible] and occupied by A. L. Smith—$20,0[illegible] Jones mill etc $10 000 [illegible] Hun[illegible] $5,000; Boston and Albany Railroad [illegible] Curtis & Marble one mill $2 000 th[illegible] facturing Co $100 000. The city of [illegible] loses largely perhaps $100 000 by da[illegible] ways, besides damage by the falli[illegible] Nearly every dam is destroyed. On[illegible] boys are missing and are supposed [illegible] The city is already building a da[illegible] brook to secure a supply of water. [illegible] is apprehended. Providence sends [illegible] on until the water supply is secure[illegible]

Railroad Damage

BOSTON March 31 —A dispatch to [illegible] Albany Railroad to this morning [illegible] gineer, says at the first double arch [illegible] the abutment is left and there is a [illegible] feet deep at the next arch the st[illegible] gone and ruined. The north half [illegible] be blown out. There is a hole 100 [illegible] feet deep at the first crossing be[illegible] there is a hole 100 feet long and 20 f[illegible] there to Jamesville the track is ru[illegible] ville the arch is cut and an open[illegible] and about 10 feet deep has been m[illegible] in the tracks puts off all connection [illegible] by the main line and the trains [illegible] creased in number now reach that [illegible] roads by making a detour of 45 [illegible] possible to form an estimate of t[illegible] tained by the Boston and Albany [illegible] road bed cannot be repaired and tr[illegible] until Monday at the very earliest

More Crooked Conv[illegible]

CHICAGO March 31 —The trial [illegible] Rush distillers which has been p[illegible] U. S. court here for two weeks pas[illegible] ty, the jury bringing in a verdict [illegible] first four counts of the indictment [illegible] conspiracy to defraud the govern[illegible] on distilled spirits and the removal [illegible] The minimum aggregate of fines a[illegible] under the statute is fine of $2,400 [illegible] prisonment, and the payment of t[illegible] of the tax which the government [illegible] out of. The maximum is a fine of [illegible] imprisonment for 10 years of each [illegible] ants. A motion for a new trial [illegible] will be argued this afternoon. [illegible] $15,000 each

Explosion of a Locom[illegible]

HARRISBURG March 31 —This [illegible] gine of the Tyrone and Clearfie[illegible] ploded near Sand Ridge. Thr[illegible] Miller Campbell and Shannon wer[illegible] other named Harvey Waters fatally [illegible]

Ex-Senator Thayer's Cont[illegible] Post-Traderships Exp[illegible]

CHEYENNE, March 31 —The Lead[illegible] lished statement referring to the te[illegible] Wooley post trader at Fort Russell [illegible] Ex-Senator Thayer made several [illegible] ton during the period of four [illegible] Wooley he was not a member of th[illegible] in any official position that Wool[illegible] his expenses that he never was i[illegible] tradership and never knew of [illegible] being paid for one or to any one [illegible] appointment

WASHINGTON C[illegible]

Minister Schenck [illegible]

WASHINGTON March 31 —[illegible] was before the committee on fore[illegible] when his counsel laid before the c[illegible] ment of facts connected with the [illegible] sale to the Emma Silver Mining [illegible] and its subsequent history and p[illegible] prepared for the use of the comm[illegible] affairs in the investigation of the c[illegible] Schenck with said company. Th[illegible] prepared before the counsel kn[illegible] would be the course of proceedin[illegible] mittee

A Proposition to Steal E[illegible] Babcock Case

WASHINGTON March 31 —The [illegible] penditure in the War Department [illegible] C. S Bell whose testimony was [illegible] the President wishing to satisfy [illegible] or innocence of General Babco[illegible] Louis to ascertain what he coul[illegible] Babcock and Luckey knowing [illegible] Louis on that errand wanted him [illegible] out of the district attorney's office [illegible] he did not do but related Babc[illegible] proposition to Mr Dyer

No Money to Pay W[illegible]

WASHINGTON March 31 —The [illegible] ment of witnesses before the C[illegible] mittees has been exhausted fo[illegible] many of those who have applied [illegible] have not received it have been [illegible] their claims at a discount

Army Headquarters to be [illegible] ington.

It is believed that an order [illegible] headquarters to this city will be [illegible] week

Belknap's Ca[illegible]

WASHINGTON March 31 —Th[illegible] Belknap case is being prepared [illegible] torney for presentation to the g[illegible] probable an indictment will be [illegible]

Testimony of C [illegible]

C P Bell of Jackson Missis[illegible] morning before Clymer's commi[illegible] an application for a post trader[illegible] Texas and came here June [illegible] about it. He had a number of [illegible] from army officers but Bell [illegible] known he had come to make [illegible] (Belknap would not have [illegible] plied it would take him a very [illegible] of his [illegible] and he then got [illegible] treatment made him angry [illegible] beyond the west front of the [illegible] came running to him and [illegible] back. When he returned [illegible] apologetically he was greatly [illegible] applications for post trad[illegible] turned to him and asked [illegible] tion were [illegible]

He replied that he did not [illegible] "Is it worth $5,000 a year [illegible] He replied he supposed it wa[illegible] Would you be willing [illegible] said "I would not be willing [illegible] responded [illegible]

Bell stated he did not believe [illegible] to make him an offer [illegible] thought Secretary [illegible] into offering a [illegible] reason to believe [illegible] not remember he had said [illegible] Goodfellow and Mr [illegible] clerk were [illegible] tradership bargains [illegible] as follows

[illegible]

appointment. It was a card